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the Judges of the Supreme Court

atisfaction Expressed Be-use the Islanders are)eclared Not Natives.

:cial Session of Congress May low if the Same Decision is landed Down in Regard to the Phillipines.

Juan, P. R., May 29.—The first of the supreme court's decis- the De Lima case received here nterpreted as declaring the tax- of imports from Porto Rico to nited States 15 per cent of the y duties to be unconstitutional. as received with great satisfac- But when the full report of the ma case was published, there videnced a general feeling of ointment among Porto Rican ants, who had hoped that the decision would give them a free trade.

o Ricans are reluctant to be- hat today's full report is true. nsensus of opinion seems to be the Porto Rican legislature be convened in extra session lare Porto Rico self-supporting t the collection of customs on s between Porto Rico and the States. A general spirit of int that all the supreme court's ns were against Porto Rico is ble.

a few Porto Rican business nderstand the importance of preme court's decisions. Bank- edict an immediate revival of s now that the status of the has been decided. The man- an important American bank, quires that his name not be ays he is in favor of the tariff it is absolutely proved that Rican internal revenues are t for the island's needs.

J. T. Silva Banking company The whole thing is a fiasco. uld like to be citizens of the States, but without the appli- of United States internal rev- ollections. The latter would industries."

Fritz E. Lundt company, large s of sugar in Porto Rico, said: nstitution of the United States when against us but not when favor. This has always been the beginning. If the tariff n removed at first Porto Rico now have double crops. The n system of taxation can not ed here; there should be some tax on flour and rice, but ould be free. This legislation to be for Americans and Porto Ricans."

hoff & Korber, a large bank- se, said: "This is a big step Spain would not have re- anything. It would be a hard the internal revenues of the States were applied here."

Marr, manager of a big sugar n, said: "The distinction is to understand. The tariff ease when the Hollander bill to full force July 1, otherwise be under practically double

Our legislature has been hould have notified the presi- t Porto Rico is self-support- in see now that the matter is much improvement in the

eople generally are as much ted at not being granted citizenship as they are with t's decision in regard to the he members of the cabinet favor free trade. The island's dget is $2,000,000. A rough ial estimate gives an income 00 a year from the property ,000 from excise collections Hollander bill, and $750,000 toms collections on imports rts to and from countries in the United States. The tax will be in force July 1, ssments will be made on an valuation of $100,000,000. ities are now being collected. ans are generally of the hat their legislature should

provisions of section 3 of ker bill free trade becomes whenever the Porto Rican e shall have passd a resolu- an adequate system of insu- on has been put into opera- President McKinley, upon n of this resolution, is to free trade for Porto Rico. If ow in contemplation is carried out, Governor Allen will convene the legislature in extra session solely for the purpose of passing this resolution. This action will probably be taken July 25, at which time the Hollander bill will have been in force nearly one month, and it is hoped that free trade will be declared by October.

AS TO THE PHILIPPINES.

War Department Engaged in Solving Decree in Insular Cases.

Washington, May 29.—Interest in the supreme court decisions now centers at the war department, and efforts are being made to ascertain the intention of the department regarding the Philippines, as the archipelago is under the department's control.

Secretary Root would express no opinion, saying he had not yet the full text of the decision before him, and that it would require careful consideration before the entire import of these opinions could be ascertained with a view of governing future executive action.

Several senators and representatives called on the secretary and discussed the situation with him, giving their views and interpretations of the court's decree and the bearing it may have in the future government of the Philippines. Among these were Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, chairman of the Philippine committee of the senate. He expressed the opinion that the decisions of the court will make Philippine legislation absolutely necessary at the coming session of congress. He also was clearly of the opinion that under the Spooner law the president had absolute power to provide for a revenue, both customs and internal, for the Philippine Islands, in the general scheme for the Philippine government.

Another suggestion made by senators previous to the time when it was supposed that a decision in the Philippine case would be rendered by the court similar to the De Lima case in Porto Rico, was that an export duty on goods coming from the Philippines to the United States could be levied in order to prevent free trade from the islands to the United States. Any such necessity will be obviated, however, by the determination of the treasury department to continue to collect Dingley rates on Philippines products and goods coming from the islands.

Figures were furnished at the war department showing the collections from the Philippines. From April 11, 1899, to Feb. 28, 1901, there were collected on goods imported from the United States into the Philippines $1,012,925. During the same period there were collected on exports from the Philippines to the United States $196,149. From April 11, 1899, until April 12, 1900, the date of the passage of the Foraker law, the collections on imports from the United States to Porto Rico were $436,237.

It is believed that the war department will promulgate a tariff for the Philippines. The Philippine commission, together with officers in charge of the customs in the island, prepared a provisional draft for a new Philippine tariff, which was published in March. That draft has been undergoing a number of modifications at the war department and is still receiving consideration. Secretary Root has been holding back this tariff, awaiting the decision of the supreme court in the insular cases, and it is now probable that it will not be promulgated until he has had time to examine the opinions of the court with care.

TALKING IT OVER.

President and Cabinet Discuss the Finding of the Court.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., May 29.—Cabinet councils are being held aboard the presidential train to discuss the finding of the supreme court in the insular cases. It is surmised that the court's decision in the De Lima case if followed in the Philippine case, as it is assumed it will be, might result in the calling of an extra session of congress. In the De Lima case the court decided that the duties collected on Porto Rican goods before congress enacted the Foraker law were illegal and must be refunded. It is presumed that the court, following the same lines of reasoning, will decide that the duties collected on goods from the Philippines were also illegal and subject to free entry into the United States until congress acts, as it has already done in the case of Porto Rico. Such a decision would mean not only the refunding of duties heretofore collected, but would open the ports of the United States to merchandise and goods of every description from the Philippines until congress meets in December. It is palpable that importers might take advantage of this to ship goods into the United States through the Philippines and thus defraud the government of revenues.

Whether the danger from this source is great enough to warrant the calling of congress in extra session is one which will be decided only after full deliberation. It is possible, however, that this danger may have been already obviated in the enactment of the Spooner resolution delegating temporarily to the president the power to govern the Philippines. This may be considered an act of congress within the meaning of the Downes decision affirming the constitutionality of the Foraker law. But it is a

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ZION

Must Recognize the Law

And No More

Mock Cures Will be Permitted

At Dr. Alxander Dowie's Famous Villa or Hospital in Chicago.

He Must Sign an Application for a License or Suffer the Penalty of Any Other Commen Violator.

Chicago, May 29.—The Illinois state board of health met here to take action with regard to the license of Dr. J. G. Speicher, one of John Alexander Dowie's assistants. Speicher's duties consisted principally in signing certificates of death in cases under Dowie's ministrations that resulted fatally.

That Dr. Dowie's Zion home or hospital is within the meaning of the law is the purport of an opinion submitted by George H. Kriete, attorney for the health department.

Acting thereon, Commissioner Reynolds forwarded to John Alexander Dowie one of the regular application blanks for a hospital license. If Dowie signs the application he puts himself under the authority of the city and must abide by the regulation of the health department. If he ignores Commissioner Reynolds he will have the law to deal with, for the ordinance provides penalties of $100 for a first conviction and more on subsequent occasions for those running hospitals without a license.

Will Call on the King.

London, May 29.—The visiting members of the New York chamber of commerce will visit Windsor castle June 1 and will be received by the King. A conference between the New York chamber of commerce and the London chamber of commerce has been arranged for June 3. Morris K. Jessup, president of the New York chamber of commerce, will preside.

PLATT

Amendment Accepted by Cubans

After a Bitter Fight in the Convention.

A Radical Vindictively Declared That Any Man Voting for it Was a Traitor to His Country.

Havana, May 29.—By a vote of 15 to 14 the Platt amendment was accepted by the Cuban constitutional convention, after a bitter debate. The amendment was embodied in the majority report of the committee on relations. The radicals made a hard fight to the last moment, and Senores Portuondo Gomez and Tamayo bitterly arraigned the conservatives. Senor Tamayo was particularly vindictive, and declared that everybody who voted in favor of the Platt amendment was a traitor to his country. The convention compelled him to retract this statement. On several occasions personal encounters seemed imminent Senor Gomez spoke more than an hour and his speech undoubtedly won over Senores Castro, Robau and Manduly. He appealed to the patriotism of delegates and rehearsed the long fight for independence, denouncing as perjurors all who favored the Platt amendment, on the ground that they had sworn to draw up a constitution for an independent republic. Several conservatives asked Senor Gomez to retract but he absolutely refused to do so.

SENSATIONAL

Libel Suit Against Mrs. "Christian Science" Eddy Began Today.

Boston, Mass., May 29.—The libel suit brought by Mrs. Woodbury against Mrs. "Christian Science" Eddy for $150,000 is now on here. Mrs. Woodbury says that in June, 1899, Mrs. Eddy in an address referred to "Unclean, Lustful and Murderous Woman" and that she, Mrs. Woodbury, was intended. Later, in the same address she was called a "Scarlet Woman." Mrs. Eddy was not in court but was represented by her counsel. The jury being selected, Mrs. Woodbury's attorney said his client had been expelled from the Christian Science church for no reason known of by Mrs. Eddy, many of whose followers think her a personal representative of God.

GLAD IT'S OVER.

German Papers Approve the Return of Field Marshal and Troops.

Berlin, May 29.—The German press without exception comments in terms of approval on the news that Emperor William has ordered Count Von Waldersee and the German troops to return home. Even the military papers join the chorus.

The reports that negotiations are in progress between the cabinets of the powers with reference to a joint appointment for a commander of the troops of the allies remaining in China are semi-officially confirmed. The Lokal Anzeiger says it hears that Count Von Waldersee's successor will probably be a Frenchman.

Von Waldersee's Recall.

Washington, May 29.—The state department replied to the announcement of the German government that the emperor considered the time had come to recall Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee from China, expressing the satisfaction of the United States at the announcement, this government having already withdrawn its troops from China with the exception of a small guard intended solely for the protection of legation in Peking.

Chinese Object to Interest.

Peking, May 29.—The Chinese plenipotentiaries have informed the ministers of the powers that the court has notified them of a willingness to pay indemnity to the amount of 450,000,000 taels, but the court objects to 4 per cent interest.

Boers Appeal to The Hague.

Berlin, May 29.—Special dispatches from St. Petersburg assert that Dr. Henrik Muller and Dr. Leyds, representing the Boer republics, have appealed formally to The Hague arbitration court promising to abide by the decision of the tribunal regarding the issues involved in the South African war, and pointing out that several paragraphs of the arbitration court signed by the powers represented all the peace conference bears directly upon the South African case.

The Weather.

Washington, May 29.—For Ohio, unsettled weather tonight and Thursday, with occasional rains.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Results of the Games Played in the Several Leagues.

AMERICAN.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Chica...	19	9	.679	Bost....	11	11	.500
Det't ..	18	10	.642	Milw ..	10	16	.385
Wash...	14	9	.608	Phila ..	9	17	.346
Balto...	12	9	.571	Cleve...	7	10	.269

At Milwaukee—Milwaukee 3, Philadelphia 4.

At Chicago—Chicago 5, Baltimore 14.

At Detroit — Detroit-Washington; postponed; wet grounds.

At Cleveland—Cleveland-Boston; no game; rain.

NATIONAL.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
N. Y....	14	8	.636	Brook ..	13	13	.500
Cin'ti...	15	11	.577	Bost....	10	13	.434
Phila ..	16	12	.571	St. L....	12	16	.429
Pitts ...	14	13	.518	Chica...	11	19	.367

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 1, Cincinnati 0.

At New York—New York 0, St. Louis 1.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn 8, Pittsburg 7.

At Boston—Boston-Chicago; no game; rain.

WESTERN ASSOCIATION.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Ind.....	22	7	.759	Day'n ..	12	17	.414
G'd R...	21	10	.677	Mar'n...	10	17	.370
Louis...	19	12	.613	Ft. W...	10	20	.333
Toledo..	16	12	.555	Cols....	8	22	.266

At Dayton—Dayton 3, Indianapolis 5.

At Louisville—Louisville 7, Columbus 1.

At Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids 8, Fort Wayne 1.

At Toledo—Toledo-Marion; no game, rain.

Turf Winners.

At St. Louis—The Four Hundred, La Destrous, Wakita, Wax Taper, Miss Patron, Reducer.

At Chicago—Ernest Parham, Operator, Magi, Garry Herrmann, Merito, Alice Dougherty.

At Toronto—Marthmas, Illowaho, Hasio, Orontas, Scorpio, J. H. Sloan.

At Oakland—Blanche Shepherd, Botany, Harry Thatcher, Shellmount, Vantine, Jim McCleevy.

At Newport—Robert Morrison, Easter Boy, Wilson, Filibuster, Prue Wood, Banquo.

At Gravesend—Isla, Dolando, Disadvantage, The Parader, O'Hagan, Carbuncle.

NEW

Creed of the Presbyterians

In the Hands

Of a Special Committee of Twenty One.

Most Important Assembly in the History of the Church

Has Dissolved After a Unanimous Agreement of its Members as to the Proposed New Condition of Things.

Philadelphia, May 29.—The one hundred and thirteenth Presbyterian general assembly was dissolved by Moderator Minton after having been in session nearly two weeks, during which time many matters of the utmost importance to the church were considered. Chief among these was the question regarding the revision of the confession of faith. After a discussion continuing nearly four days this momentous subject was referred to a special committee of 21 members who will make recommendations as to the manner in which the creed should be revised, and present them to the next general assembly, which meets in New York.

Cubans Not Surprised.

Havana, May 29.—Havana merchants were not surprised by the decision of the United States supreme court in the insular cases. Porto Rico is not looked upon here as a dangerous rival, but there is considerable fear that the court may give a similar decision with regard to the Philippines. The merchants seem confident that the United States will make a reciprocity treaty with Cuba.

Towne Going to New York.

Duluth, May 29.—Former Senator Charles A. Towne will go the latter part of June to New York, which he will make his home. Politics will be a secondary consideration with Mr. Towne for the next few years, it is said. Mr. Towne will be the head of a company which has an option on 300,000 acres of oil lands in Texas, which the company is organizing to purchase and operate.

Incline Railway Fire.

Duluth, May 29. — Fire destroyed the pavilion on the hilltop, 600 feet above the level of Lake Superior, and the power house with which the incline railway was operated. The car at the top of the incline caught fire and shot down the track. The people at the bottom were barely out of the way in time to save their lives. The loss aggregates $60,000.

Treasurer of Druids Short.

Fall River, Mass., May 29. — Dr. Emanuel Harris of this city, treasurer of the supreme council of the American Order of Druids, was arrested on a complaint of other officers of the supreme council, charged with grand larceny. There is an alleged shortage of $3,500 in accounts which he was unable to make good, although offered a chance to do so.

Ohio Democratic Convention.

Columbus, O., May 29.—Columbus is the place and July 9-10 the dates chosen for the state Democratic convention. The basis of representation will be one delegate per 500 votes or major fraction thereof cast for William J. Bryan in 1900.

Dragged to Death by a Cow.

Zaleski, O., May 29.—Alfred Chaffin, 12, son of Allen M. Chaffin, while leading a cow, tied the rope around his body. The animal became frightened and ran, dragging the boy to death. Every bone in his body was broken.

Bought For Sinking Fund.

Washington, May 29.—The total purchase of short term bonds to date for the sinking fund is $9,481,790.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, May 29.—Statement of treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption: Available cash balance, $140,465,521; gold, $92,867,871.

Admiral Seymour Now.

London, May 29.—Vice Admiral Sir Edward H. Seymour, who has been commander-in-chief on the China station since 1898, has been promoted to the rank of admiral.

Killed His Playmate.

Lewisburg, O., May 29.—While shooting at target Robert Antrim, 14, was accidentally shot by his playmate, Roy Overhasler, 12.

Ohio Postoffice Raised.

Washington, May 29. — The postoffice at Winton Place, O., will be raised to presidential grade July 1.

Booker's Appeal.

Montgomery, Ala., May 29.—Booker T. Washington, in behalf of his race, presented to the constitutional convention an appeal for conservative action. The address reminds the convention that the negroes came here against their will, but have been benefited, trained and Christianized. They did their duty in the civil war and in the Spanish war. They have ceased for 20 years to be an offensive element in politics. He said anything that will unsettle the negro now, when he is settling down to thrift and common sense, would injure both races, and pleaded that all incentive for rights and useful living be not withdrawn from the young negro.

Porto Ricans Poorly Fed.

Honolulu, May 16, via San Francisco, May 29.—Inspection of the Porto Rican immigrants brought here by the steamer Colon shows that they are in such a state from the need of food on their voyage that they must be held at the quarantine station and fed until they regain strength sufficient to enable them to land.

Strikers Win in New York.

New York, May 29.—Several hundred machinists who have been on strike, having reached an agreement with the 15 companies which employed them, have returned to work. According to the men they have won a victory, and their demand for nine hours' work with 10 hours' pay was complied with.

Drowned His Troubles.

Berlin, May 29.—The body of Simon Loewengard, formerly a banker in Cologne, and recently extradited from the United States on charge of forging bills of exchange, who had been missing since May 3, when the North German Lloyd steamship Lahn arrived at Bremerhaven, has been found on the shore near Bremerhaven.

CAMERA

Pictured a Tragedy at a Picnic.

Miss Bishop Pointed the Gun in Fun

But it Was Loaded and the Bullet Sped Direct to the Heart of Miss Wolfrum.

Nardin, O. T., May 29.—Miss Nora Wolfrum was instantly killed by her friend, Miss Bishop, at a picnic near here. A picture was being made of a group of young people when Miss Wolfrum asked Miss Bishop to point a rifle at her for fun. Miss Bishop did so. The rifle was discharged accidentally, the bullet piercing Miss Wolfrum's heart.

Wedding Present For Wilhelmina.

The Hague, May 29.—The delegates of the St. Nicholas society of New York, accompanied by the United States minister, Stanford Newell, presented to the foreign minister, M. De Beaufort, a silver cup as the society's wedding present to Queen Wilhelmina.

Oil Well on Middle Bass Island.

Sandusky, O., May 29.—An oil well that throws a 6-inch stream of petroleum fully 100 feet in the air has been struck on Middle Bass island in Lake Erie, a few miles from this city. There is much excitement there.

Ada's New College President.

Ada, O., May 29.—The Rev. Dr. Leroy A. Belt was unanimously elected president of the Ohio Normal university here to succeed President Lehr. He will assume his new position June 22.

Agreement on the Wabash.

Fort Wayne, May 29.—Striking machinists of the Wabash railroad here and at Springfield, Ills., reached an agreement with the management and will resume work Friday.

Jove's Fatal Artillery.

Berlin, May 29.—During the past few days numerous thunder storms have occurred throughout Germany. Near Aschaffenburg, Bavaria, three persons were killed by lightning. Near Crossen four were killed, and in Frankford forest five.

Two Children Burned.

Bellefontaine, O., May 29.—The two children of Mrs. Frank Sickles, aged two and five years, were burned to death by a gasoline explosion at their home in Belle Center. In attempting to rescue the children Mrs. Sickles was fatally burned.

Coal Consumed.

Spokane, Wash., May 29. — The Great Northern's coal chutes and cages, with five cars of loaded coal, were destroyed by fire at Hillyard. Loss $125,000. Prompt action saved the car shops.

Marquis Quits the Lifeguards.

London, May 29.—The resignation of the Marquis of Headfort as a lieutenant in the First lifeguards is gazetted. He resigned presumably because he married Rosie Boote, the actress.

WHAT

Will Marcus Aurelius Say

About It Now?

Third Termers and Hanna's Friends

Hear of the Launching of Senator Fairbank's of Indiana

Whose Friends Say That the State Will Stand Solidly Behind Him When it Comes to Choosing Mack's Successor.

Chicago, May 29.—Senator Fairbanks of Indiana has been formally announced as a candidate for president before the national Republican convention of 1904. Harry S. New, Republican national committeeman from Indiana, who is in Chicago, is authority for the statement that Indiana will stand behind Mr. Fairbanks in his race for the honor.

"Senator Fairbanks will be supported by a solid delegation from Indiana," said Mr. New. "The whole state will be back of him at the next national convention. He is the logical candidate of the party and with his nomination Indiana will be assured to the Republicans."

Smith's Claim Repudiated.

Washington, May 29.—Secretary of War Root has approved the findings of the board, of which Major General Brooke was chairman, appointed to investigate the claim of Major William F. Smith, United States army, retired, that he and not General Rosecrans, conceived the plan for the relief of Chattanooga by military operations conducted in Lookout valley in October, 1863. The board found that Rosecrans devised the plan.

LOSING

Side in War and in Life

Was Occupied by Col. Milner of Cincinnati.

Former Assistant Secretary of the Confederate Navy Once Rich, Dies in Object Poverty.

Cincinnati, May 29.—Colonel James G. Miner, an assistant secretary of the Confederate navy during the civil war, died in poverty at Milford, O., aged 82.

Colonel Miner was a graduate of Edinburgh university, a native of New England, but a resident of Texas and a friend of General Sam Houston. He served under Taylor in the Mexican war. Before the war he was one of the owners of the famous Tedgar iron works of Richmond, Va. The civil war swept away his fortune and since then he battled unsuccessfully in the effort to build up a new fortune. He invented a high-pressure engine, but could not bring it to a financial success. Three weeks ago his wife, who bravely shared his ill fortune with him, died at the age of 80 years, and a Mrs. Spencer of Milford gave her burial and took the broken-hearted old man to her home. In his trunk he had $1,000,000 of Confederate bonds and money.

Manufacturers here, whose places Colonel Miner loved to visit, have procured a lot in the cemetery and will see to his burial.

Dunkards Down on Divorces.

Lincoln, Neb., May 29. — Business meetings of the national Dunkard conference have begun and one of the first decisions of the standing committee was to hold next year's conference in eastern Pennsylvania, at a place yet to be decided, but probably at Philadelphia. The division of northwestern Ohio was also a candidate, but the decision in favor of Pennsylvania was almost unanimous. One of the questions of church law which the Dunkards are deeply interested in is the subject of divorce. Congressional enactments are being studied by the brethren and the matter informally discussed. It is unlikely that this conference will make any change in the rules of the denomination, which are firmly opposed to divorces.

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These are the fares to Buffalo and return for the Pan-American Exposition via Chicago and Erie railroad. Stopovers allowed at Chautauqua Lake. F. C. McCoy, Agent.

IT SAVED HIS LEG.

P A. Danford, of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful runing sore on his leg, but writes that Bucklen's Arnica salve wholly cured it in five days. For ulcers, Wounds, piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cents Sold by H F Vortkamp.

Excursion Rates to Chillicothe.

One fare for the round trip to Chillicothe, via Ohio Central lines, account of Ohio Sunday School association Excursion tickets on sale June 3rd and 4th, from all stations in Ohio, good returning until June 7th. See agents of Ohio Central lines.

David City, Neb., April 1, 1900.
Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy., N. Y..
Gentlemen:—I must say in regard to GRAIN-O that there is nothing better or healthier. We have used it for years. My brother was a great coffee drinker. He was taken sick and the doctor said coffee was the cause of it, and told us to use GRAIN-O We got a package but did not like it at first but now would not be without it. My brother has been well ever since we started to use it, Yours truly. Dillie Soebor.

The C. H. & D. will operate a base ball excursion to Cincinnati Sunday, June 2. Tickets will be good going on the 2·10 or 6:50 a. m. train and returning at 5:30 p. m. or 10 p. m. the same day. A rate of $1.50 for the round trip has been decided upon. tf

OLD SOLDIER'S EXPERIENCE.

M. M Austin, a civil war veteran, of Winchester, Ind., writes: "My wife was sick a long time in spite of good doctor's treatment, but was wholly cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills, which worked wonders for the health." They always do. Try them. Only 25c at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

A Boston Chill.

Dashaway—I hadn't been in Boston twelve hours before I had a terrible chill.

Cleverton.—A girl?—Life.

HERO OF THE PETREL.

Commander Roper's Sacrifice Described by a Brother Officer.

GRAPHIC STORY OF THE FIRE.

Lieutenant McKean, Who Recovered His Chief's Body, Tells How Roper Lost His Life Trying to Save a Sailor—Terrible Time When Men Risked Lives to Save Comrades.

The body of Lieutenant Commander Jesse Mims Roper, who sacrificed his life on March 31 while trying to rescue a seaman from a fire on board the gunboat Petrel, then stationed at Cavite, Manila, arrived at New York the other day on the United States cruiser Buffalo from Manila. Among the officers who arrived on her was Lieutenant J. F. McKean, who carried the body of Commander Roper from the hatchway of the burning gunboat where he had lost his life. Lieutenant McKean was on the sick list at the time, but did his best to save Commander Roper's life. Seated in the cabin of the Buffalo he told to a reporter of the New York Times the story of Lieutenant Commander Roper's death.

"It was at 6 30 o'clock Sunday morning," he said, "when I heard a call, to which I paid no attention. Soon there was a scuffling on deck, and my boy told me that there was a fire on board somewhere. Being in charge of the powder division, although sick, it did not take me long to get to my place, which was wherever that fire was. It was in the hatch leading from the sailroom to the berth deck. I ran forward to the hatch, out of which a great cloud of smoke with a strong, pungent odor was pouring

"Commander Roper was already there, clad only in his pyjamas He had been the first man to go down in the hatch and was almost immediately overcome by the smoke. He was dragged up by two seamen and was just recovering when I reached his side Some of the crew were at the hatch rescuing some of the men who had been overcome by the smoke while using the hose.

"Every man that went down was sure to be overcome, but not a man hesitated. Each man when it came his turn ran down, seized the body of the man who had preceded him and slung a bowline under his arms. Then those on deck would pull the body up, while the man would go to work at the fire. Then he would drop himself, and somebody would have to go after him. The men just keeled over one after another as they went into the smoke Before long we had 22 men lying unconscious on the deck. There was one man missing, Seaman Toner, and he was known to be lying somewhere unconscious in the middle of that black smoke. He had been in charge of the hose, and as soon as Commander Roper learned that he had not returned he made a rush for the hatch. I grabbed him, and he tried to shove me to one side. Finally he turned away for a minute and then rushed for the hatch. I shouted at him to come back.

"'You don't understand anything about the conditions down there,' I said. 'There are lots of other men here perfectly willing to go and better able to stand it.' The commander waved his hand to me. 'I understand these conditions perfectly,' he said. 'I am going down after that seaman.'

"Then he started for the hatchway again. This time Naval Cadet Lewis—we always called him 'Kid' Lewis—stepped in front of him, shouting that he would go after Toner. He rushed for the hatch, with Commander Roper at his heels, and they disappeared into the smoke, with two jackies following them.

"We all grouped around the opening down the iron ladder. I was the senior officer on deck, and I gave orders at once that no more men should go down there unless they had bowlines about them. There were two officers and three men there already, and a minute later a negro named Girandt put the bowline around himself and was lowered. He got hold of the two men who had gone down with Commander Roper and then, after taking a few breaths of air, started down again and tied the line around Toner. He was unconscious when he was pulled up and looked as if he was dead.

"I couldn't stand it any longer. There were 25 men lying stretched out on the deck, and I decided that it was my duty to go to the succor of the officers. I put a wet handkerchief in my mouth, slung the bowline about me and was lowered down. I had ordered the electric lights in the compartment turned on. They flared out just as I touched the deck, and through the smoke I could see Commander Roper seated on a pile of canvas in a corner with his head leaning against a bulkhead. I hauled him out under the hatchway and then found that the bowline was too short, so I yelled up for more line.

"At that minute somebody bumped into me and nearly knocked me over. It was Private Theiss, a marine, who had followed me down the ladder. Between us we got the bowline about the lieutenant commander, and he was dragged up. Then we got Lewis in another corner and sent him up. I keeled over myself then and didn't know anything more till I was on deck again. When I came to, I ordered signals set for assistance. At 7:45 Commander Roper was pronounced dead, and Lewis and Toner were found to be barely alive. They both soon came around again all right."

Lieutenant McKean concluded his narrative by saying that Lieutenant Commander Roper was a very popular man and his loss was greatly felt in the navy.

FUTURE WORLD CAPITAL.

New New York Is Outstripping Old London.

Since the formation of Greater New York there has been much interest in the question, How long will it take us to catch up with London? The new British census now gives our one rival for world capitalship 4,536,034 people against 4,211,056 in 1891, a gain of only 7½ per cent.

But before jubilation at these figures it is well to remember that the London meant in the dispatches is the "county" or "inner" London. There are four other Londons—the "city," corresponding to New York below Wall street, "greater London," or the metropolitan police district; board of works London and parliamentary London The two latter may be omitted from the comparison of a century's growth with that of New York, which is shown in this table.

NEW YORK.

1800	60 480	1880	1 206,299
1850	515,547	1890	1,515,301
1860	813,669	1900	(a)3,437,202

LONDON.

	City.	County	Greater London.
1801	—	864,035	--
1851	—	2,362,236	--
1861	112 063	2,803 989	3,222,770
1881	50,526	3 814,571	4,764,312
1891	37,000	4,211 056	5 633,332
1901	(b)27,380	4,536,034	(c)6,570 95?

(a) After consolidation, (b) estimated decrease of 26 per cent (c) estimated increase of 17 per cent

Greater London has for a century grown about 20 per cent each decade, from 1881 to 1891, 18 2 per cent For 100 years New York as now bounded has increased about 40 per cent every ten years; from 1890 to 1900, 37 per cent, twice as rapidly as London. At 35 per cent increase we shall have in 1910 4 640,000 people, at 40 per cent 4,812,000 Either number will probably equal inner London in 1911, for the latter has almost stopped growing It does not crowd into high buildings, and many old rookeries are swept away for parks and improved homes for workingmen The future growth of London, as of New York, will be in its outer boroughs. It has the advantage of being able to annex its "Surrey side," while our Jersey suburbs, quite as much a part of New York, cannot be added to it. However, even "greater London" must yield to New York before midcentury.

M'KINLEY'S NERVE FORCE.

Value of the President's Influence Over His Wife.

The news that Mrs. McKinley had partially succumbed to the fatigues of the presidential tour was received by her friends in Washington with concern, says the New York World. No surprise was expressed, however, as it has been known in Washington that Mrs McKinley's health has visibly failed during the last six months. A lady who has known her intimately for 25 years said the other day:

"The fact that Mrs. McKinley has borne up thus far against the fatigue incident to her position is the result of most assiduous attention on the part of President McKinley He has a wonderful influence upon her. With a few strokes of his hand he can subdue her most violent attacks of headache. With cheering words he can rouse her quickly from a condition of almost collapse. His support of his wife during her affliction is one of the most touching cases of personal devotion and one of the most significant examples of the power of animal magnetism on record

"When the president and his wife are living their quiet home life, Mrs. McKinley's health is generally good for one so delicately organized. During seasons when the president's attention is constantly distracted by numerous affairs and the change of scene and place prevents him from those little ministrations usual and expected by Mrs. McKinley she always develops illness.

"Mrs. McKinley has never been herself since President McKinley was attacked by the grip last January. Her anxiety, although she was not permitted to spend her strength in nursing him, wore her out, and since his recovery President McKinley has not enjoyed to the full degree his usual robust and superabounding health and spirits. Her collapse during the trying inaugural season and now on this trip is more to be attributed to this debilitated nerve force of the president than loss of her own strength."

Celluloid Made Without Camphor.

United States Consul Hughes at Coburg, under date of April 12, 1901, writes as follows to the state department at Washington: "Celluloid has always been manufactured by dissolving nitrocellulose in camphor—that is to say, forming a mixture of nitrocellulose, camphor and alcohol. But there are other ways of mixing it. According to a publication of the Societe Generale Pour la Fabrication des Matieres Plastiques de Paris, celluloid can be made by using naphthalene instead of camphor. The celluloid thus produced, the paper adds, is just as good as, if not better than, that in which camphor forms one of the ingredients."

Says X Rays Will Not Pierce Dead Bodies.

According to reports made by the eminent Professor Ottolenghi of the University of Siena, recent experiments show that, while the X rays may be applied with success to the lungs of a person who is alive or in a trance, it is impossible to apply them to the lungs of a person actually dead, owing to the fact that some intervening obstacle prevents the rays from penetrating into the body, says a special cable dispatch from Rome to the New York Journal. He suggests that this test be used in future by physicians in all cases where doubt exists as to death.

BOON FOR RAILWAY MEN

Illinois Central Adopts a Pension System For Its Employees.

WILL GO INTO EFFECT ON JULY 1.

The Scheme Is Liberal In the Extreme—Company Starts With a Gift of $250,000—Rules as to Beneficiaries—How the Pensions Are Figured.

Illinois Central railroad employees retired for age or incapacity will be the beneficiaries of a comprehensive pension system which the road will put into effect July 1.

Each retired employee will receive a pension based on the average monthly salary he had been paid during the last ten years of his service and varying from 10 to 40 or even 50 per cent of that salary. The system applies to every officer and employee of the road from the president down to the humblest laborer, except the members of the law and surgical departments.

"We have been led to provide pensions," said President Stuyvesant Fish recently, "as an additional means of providing for our men and bringing them into close and friendly relations with the company. Since the rise of the value of the road stock above par we have found that the employees have practically stopped purchasing it, and after much deliberation we decided upon the present plan, the details of which have been carefully worked out.

"To start with, the company makes a cash gift of $250 000 to the pension fund. In addition it agrees to pay any amount needed for the pensions up to $100,000 each year. If the annual pension allowance run beyond this figure, then, and only then, the original $250,000 will be touched If the $250,000 is exhausted the company reserves the privilege of altering the schedule of payments so that the burden shall not increase to too great size.

"As to the employees who get pensions, there are included in the first place all men over 70 years of age who have been ten years in the service of the road. Retirement at the age of 70 is made compulsory for all officers and employees. In the case of locomotive firemen, engineers, conductors, flagmen and brakemen, train baggage men, yardmasters, switchmen, bridge foremen, section foremen and supervisors they may be retired at the age of 65, and if they have been ten years in service they will be pensioned. Officers and employees between the ages of 61 and 70 who have become incapacitated for any cause and who have been ten years in the service may be retired and pensioned.

"These provisions are liberal, for most other roads require a continuous service of 30 years before granting pensions, make the retirement age for incapacitated men from 65 to 69 years instead of 61 and do not let the train and track men retire before 70

"The amount of the pension is figured this way. The average monthly pay of the man for his ten years is found, and then he is allowed 1 per cent of the amount for every year he has been in the service of the road. If he has been ten years in service his pension is 10 per cent, and if he has been 40 years in service he gets a 40 per cent pension. For instance, the trackmen get the lowest pay, averaging $30 a month. Suppose a man has been 30 years in the service of the company—and it is fair to assume that most pensioned men will have been with us that long at least—his pension will be $9 a month, or $108 a year.

"A brakeman averages $60 a month, but if he was a good man he would be promoted long before retirement, and so would not get his pension on that salary basis. The same is true of firemen.

"The conductor averages $115 a month, which would make his pension after 30 years' service $34.50 a month, or $414 a year. The engineer, with an average pay of $125 a month, would get after 30 years' service $37.50 a month pension, or $450 a year. Machinists, averaging $60 a month, on the same basis would get $18 a month pension, or $216 a year. Of course if men of these grades were retired after 40 years' service the pensions would be just 33 1-3 per cent greater than the figures given.

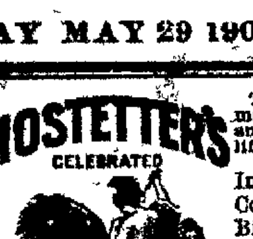
"The terms of the plan are liberal in another way. Of course continuous service is meant by the phrase 'length of service,' but where men have been gone on a leave of absence, suspension, dismissal followed by reinstatement within one year, or where temporarily laid off on account of reduction of the force when unattended by other employment, that is not considered a break in the continuity.

"Pensioned employees are permitted to engage in any other business they wish, although they cannot return to the service of the company. They are not permitted to assign away pensions.

"The road has now between 30,000 and 35,000 employees, half the size of the United States army, and all active workers. They must be kept to high efficiency. Conditions are more arduous every year. Wages are higher and stability of employment greater. To keep the force in the best condition we want a pension system, but we expect that from year to year the financial demands of the system will be heavier. We think that $100,000 a year will be ample, but we cannot tell yet, and we cannot even tell how many employees will be retired the first year. All is in the experimental stage."

The officials of the road who compose the pension board and will manage the scheme are C. A. Beck, W. J. Harahan, C. F. Krahs, William Renshaw, A. W. Sullivan, J. F. Wallace and Dr. J. E. Owens.

HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS



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EXCURSION RATES To Toledo Via Ohio Central Lines.

Account meeting of Coal Dealers' Association at Toledo, agents of Ohio Central Lines will sell excursion tickets at one fare round trip, good going June 9, 10, and 11, and good returning until June 17th, 1901 The Ohio Central is the direct line to Toledo, look at map in another column of this paper. d&w tt

BEYOND DOUBT.

These Facts Must Convince Every Lima Reader.

That which follows is the experience of a resident of Lima In credulity cannot exist abong the statement because it can easily be investigated

Mr N Brown of 633 north Jackson street says "I suffered from distressing pain in my back, sciatic pains through my limbs was sore and lame and could not rest comfortably Seeing Doan s Kidney Pills highly recommended I procured a box at Melville s drug store and used it I was so much benefited that I continued the treatment until thoroughly relieved of the pains through my back and the kidneys were restored to a healthy and normal action "

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Upon investigation it was found that 91 per cent of those who had used the trial bottle had received such benefit from it that they purchased large sized bottles of their druggists

It matters not how sick you are or how many physicians have failed to help you, send for a trial bottle of this great medicine, it costs you but a postal card, and benefit and cure will most certainly be the result.

Favorite Remedy is the only kidney medicine that acts as a laxative—all others constipate

Put some urine in a glass tumbler and let it stand 24 hours, if it has a sediment or if it is pale or discolored, milky or cloudy, stringy or ropy, your Kidneys or bladder are in a bad condition. Dr David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy speedily cures such dangerous symptoms as pain in the back, inability to hold urine, a burning, scalding pain in passing it, frequently desire to urinate, especially at night, the staining of linen by your urine and all the unpleasant and dangerous effects on the system produced by the use of whisky, wine or beer. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is sold by all drug stores or direct at $1 00 for a large bottle; six bottles for $5.00.

"Uncle Sam" Gibbons, who is now on the retired list, carried mail in Kentucky for sixty-one years and never lost a sack. He lives at Hodgenville, three miles from Lincoln's birthplace. He insists that but for the railroad he would still be in the service.

The rarest dog in the world is said to be the magnificent Tibet mastiff Dsamu, belonging to H C Brooke, of New York, a known lover of pets and curios and unique reptiles At the last dog show in Crystal Palace Dsamu took the first and special prizes for the best dog of any variety.

All the thirty-five Turkish consuls in Italy have been abolished They have not been paid for a very long time past, and one after the other has resigned.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Clerk of Lima, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon of Thursday, June 20, 1901, and opened immediately thereafter, for the improvement of west Kibby street, from the west line of Main street to the west line of Oak street, by grading, draining, curbing and paving the same with a first class quality of vitrified paving brick in accordance with an ordinance providing for same, passed by the council of said city on the 29th day of April, 1901, and with the plans and specifications heretofore adopted and now on file.

Estimated number square yards of paving, 12273.

Said improvement shall include the necessary catch basins, drainages, etc. The right is reserved, however, by the city, to award the construction of catch basins and connections separately. Bids for this work alone must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of $25 00

Bidders are required to use the form adopted by the city, which will be furnished, together with the specifications and all other information pertaining to the improvement, upon application to W R Toy, City Civil Engineer.

No proposal for the making of said improvement will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check, upon a Lima bank, payable to the City Clerk in the sum of $750 00, as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract with acceptable bond within ten (10) days if the same is awarded him If the successful bidder fails or neglects to enter into contract as above provided then the amount of his deposit with said bid will be retained by the city as liquidated damages Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within ten (10) days of award of contract

Samples of material bid upon must be filed as required by the specifications

By order of Council
C E LYNCH
City Clerk

Lima Ohio May 21, 1901
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NOTICE OF SALE.

In pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of Allen county Ohio I will offer for sale at public auction on

Monday, June 24, A D. 1901,

between the hours of one and four o clock in the afternoon at the east door of the court house the following described real estate situated in the County of Allen and State of Ohio to wit

Thirty one (31) feet off the north side of inlot number nine hundred and twenty (920) in Overmyer s addition to the City of Lima County of Allen and State of Ohio and being on north Main street in said city The same being situated on the east side of north Main street between east McKibben street and Grand avenue, house No 616

Appraised at $2 700 00

Terms One third (1-3) cash in hand, one third (1 3) in one year and one third (1 3) in two years from day of sale with interest at six per cent per annum the payments to be secured by a mortgage upon the premises sold

WILLIAM H MATTINGLY,
Administrator Estate of Michael D Long deceased
Motter, Mackenzie & Weadock,
May 24 1901 tt Attorneys

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of M H. McCullough deceased

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of M H. McCullough, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased

Dated this 22d day of May, A D 1901.

G. M. McCULLOUGH
Administrator.

APPLICATION FOR PARDON.

Notice is hereby given that at the next meeting of Ohio State Board of Pardons, an application will be made for the pardon of Frank Stuck, convicted at the October term, 1900, of the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, of the crime of burglary and sentenced to imprisonment in the Ohio State Reformatory at Mansfield.

JOHN H. STUCK,
may 13-3wks. Father.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 10474
Ex. Doc 13 Page 291.
O. M. Stafford, Plaintiff,
vs
Benjamin C. Faurot, et al., defendant
Allen Common Pleas

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, June 22, 1901,

between the hours of one o'clock and 4 o'clock, p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in Bath township, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

The undivided one half part of the south part of the west half of the north east quarter of section number nineteen (19) town number three (3) south of range number seven (7) east in Bath township, Allen county, and more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the south-west corner of said west half; thence running north thirteen chains and forty-eight (48) links; thence east twenty (20) chains and five (5) links, thence south on the east line of said west half, thirteen (13) chains and forty-three (43) links; thence west twenty (20) chains and nineteen (19) links to the place of beginning, containing twenty-seven (27) acres of land

Also the undivided one-half part of the south part of the north-west quarter of section number nineteen (19), township number three (3), south of range number seven (7) east of the first meridian, Ohio, and more minutely described as follows: Commencing at a stone at the south-west corner of said quarter section; thence running north thirteen chains and sixty links; thence east thirty-nine (39) chains and ninety-five (95) links, thence south thirteen (13) chains and forty eight (48) links, to the southeast corner of said quarter section thence west thirty nine (39) chains and ninety five (95 links, containing fifty four and nine one-hundredths (54 09) acres of land; both tracts last above described containing eighty-one and nine one hundredths (81.09) acres of land

Appraised at $2 000 00
Terms of sale: Cash
E A BOGART
Sheriff, Allen County Ohio
Lima, Ohio, May 15, 1901
Cable & Parmenter plaintiff s attorneys
may 27 5wks

SHERIFF'S SALE

Case No 10[illegible]
Ex Doc 13 Page [illegible]
The South Side Building and Loan Association,
Plaintiff
vs
Calvin R Reese et al,
Defendants

By virtue of an order of sale [illegible] the Court of Common Pleas of [illegible] ty, Ohio, and to me directed [illegible] sale at the east door of the Court [illegible] Lima, Allen county, Ohio on

SATURDAY JUNE [illegible]

Between the hours of one [illegible] o clock [illegible] the following d[illegible] and tenements situate in Al[illegible] State of Ohio and described [illegible] wit

Fifty four (54) square rods [illegible] the southeast corner of the [illegible] ter of section number six (6) [illegible] four (4) south range seven [illegible] and described as follows [illegible] southeast corner of said [illegible] thence north nin[illegible] rods [illegible] (9) rods, thence south [illegible] east six (6) rods to the place [illegible]

Appraised at $400 [illegible]
Terms of sale Cash
E A BOGART
Sheriff, Allen County Ohio
Lima Ohio May 11th 1901
Motter, Mackenzie & Weadock plaintiff s attorneys

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No [illegible]
Ex Doc [illegible]
Mary J Sherfey Plaintiff
vs
Mary L Baker et al
Defendants

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima Allen county Ohio on

SATURDAY, JUNE [illegible]

Between the hours of one o clock p m and four o clock p m the following described lands and tenements situate in the city of Lima Allen county, state of Ohio and described as follows to-wit

Situate in the city of Lima Allen county, Ohio, and being inlot number [illegible] hundred and ninety one (1291) [illegible] third addition to the said city [illegible] Ohio and being on north J[illegible] in said city

The same being situat on west [illegible] north Jefferson street between [illegible] ben street and the Findlay road [illegible] (713)

Appraised at $1,200 00
Terms of sale Cash
E A BOGART
Sheriff Allen County Ohio
Lima, Ohio, May 11th, 1901
T R Hamilton plaintiff's attorney
[illegible]

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of George W Disman deceased.

The undersigned have been appointed and qualified as executors of the estate of George W Disman late of Allen county, Ohio deceased

Dated this 13th day of May A D 1901.

MARY E DISMAN
WILLIAM T AGERTER
Executors

LEGAL NOTICE.

Thomas B Menough whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 1st of May, 1901 W L Rogers as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Eva B Menough, filed his petition in the probate court of Allen county Ohio being cause No. 7977, praying for an order to sell the real estate of said Eva B Menough to pay debts that have been made defendant in said action and required to answer before the 1[illegible] day of June, 1901, and set up his claim if any he may have in said premises

W. L. ROGERS, Assignee
In trust for the benefit of the creditors of Eva B Menough.
May 4, 1901.
Copeland & Rogers, Attorneys
May 4-6wks.

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may 13-3wks Mother

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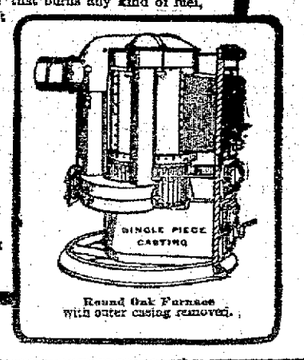

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For the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Grace Church.

Second Anniversary Celebrated Last Night and an Interesting Program Rendered—South Side Budget.

In response to a large number of invitations issued a great many persons assembled at the Grace M. E. church parsonage on south Elizabeth street last night to celebrate the second anniversary of the organization of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Grace church. Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Leatherman graciously received the numerous guests all of whom much enjoyed the hospitality afforded. The social features were all productive of pleasure. A literary program consisting of essays and remarks bearing upon the society's accomplishments in the past and their purposes in the future. A very auspicious future is anticipated for the organization. The happy function was concluded by the serving of an elegant luncheon. During the evening some well appreciated musical numbers were rendered.

At her home on St. Johns avenue, Mrs. John Dabler, is quite sick with a complication of diseases.

After a few days spent with her mother, Mrs. John Brown, who is convalescing from a severe illness, Mrs. Frank Stapleton and son, Harold, have returned to their south Lima home.

This morning Ruben White left for Toxen, Ind., where he will be the guest of his son William.

Yesterday afternoon Thomas Myers, of Findlay, with whom the late Chris Patterson, of south Lima visited Sunday, returned to his home after a brief visit here, occasioned by the news of his friend's mysterious death Monday morning, while returning from Findlay.

An attack of scarlet fever confines Miss Jameson to her home on Reese avenue.

Paying a brief visit at the home of his late companion and friend, Chris Patterson, at the corner of St. Johns avenue and east Second street, Robert Grant left last night for his home at Findlay.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harper McMillen, of south Main street, was made happy yesterday by the advent of a handsome baby boy.

His furlough expiring, B. H. DeLong, of Spencerville, has returned to his command at Fort Sheridan, Ill.

A position in south Lima has been accepted by W. B. Bargett, of Cridersville.

Transacting business here, F. E. Burkhardt, a prominent citizen of Cridersville, returned home.

Recovering from a several days serious illness, Frank Byrd, will return shortly to Galenta, to resume his employment which owing to illness, he had to discontinue last week.

This afternoon D. S. Gunther, and family left for Dayton, where they will reside in the future.

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For the next few days D. A. Barr, of Findlay, will be the guest of W. G. Pugsley, of south Central avenue, and other south Lima friends.

His father on Reese avenue is being visited by Charles Lindeman, of Toledo.

Yesterday afternoon Grant Beck, of south Pine street, was severely injured by being struck upon the back by a driving belt while at work in south Lima. He was compelled to go to his home which he will probably be unable to leave for some time.

On Second street Miss Amy Johnson, of Van Wert, is visiting with Mrs. M. Pierce.

Last night George Furry, accompanied by his wife, left for Toledo, where they will visit the former's daughter, Mrs. Roy Williams.

A Van Wert young lady, Mrs. Mary Meiserd, is being entertained at the home of Mrs. M. Pierce, on Second street.

Completing a business mission here Bartley Hineman has returned to his home at McGuffey.

For their guests Mr. and Mrs. George Tracewell, of the south side have Mr. and Mrs. R. Cripes, of West Minster.

Having visited at the home of H. E. Patrick in south Lima, Mr. and Mrs. William Wilcox have gone to their home at Roundhead.

Today Mr. and Mrs. John Stanyer, of south Metcalf street, are celebrating the arrival of a new boy at their home.

Owing to a severe attack of pleurisy T. P. Jones is unable to attend to business today.

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No Pegs.

Beerbohm Tree had a comical experience on his first appearance as the corpulent Falstaff. In the last act he had arranged that Falstaff, disconcerted by gibes and buffets of the fairies in Windsor forest, should make one herculean effort to climb the oak tree. The pegs that were to serve as supports for that tree were always conspicuous by their absence. On the morning before the performance Mr. Tree was told they should positively be fixed on the tree. The morning came, but with it no pegs. Eloquence was stifled; even invective faltered. He pointed to the tree and with the calm of despair blurted out to the defaulter, "No pegs!"

Such an ejaculation, spoken more in sorrow than in anger, would, he hoped, appeal to that last remnant of conscience which even the papier mache bosom of a property man might be supposed to retain. In the evening there was a dress rehearsal, but still no pegs could be seen. Mr. Tree's form quivered—beneath the padding—with pent up emotions, and in a torrent of passion and a voice shaken by righteous wrath he exclaimed:

"Where are those pegs?"

"Pegs—pegs!" exclaimed the property master, with exasperating affability. "Why, guv'nor, what was your words to me this morning? 'No pegs.' And there ain't none!"—London Tit-Bits.

Howells' Advice to Writers.

One day at Lakewood while sitting at a little table in the big rotunda hall drinking afternoon tea I met Mr. W. D. Howells and had a delightful conversation with him. After knowing the personality of this famous author one enjoys his writing ten times more—he is so magnetic and his conversation so interesting and breezy. "Yes," he said, "I always advise any one who has an inclination for it to try to write. One shouldn't expect to have the first things one does published, but one must keep on trying. It is an excellent plan to set down something one has seen in everyday life and try to get a story out of it. Indeed, it's the best way to practice.

"Writing is mostly drudgery," he continued. "I have to force myself to go into my library to work, and I find myself putting off the hour as long as possible."

"But when you once sit down?" I ventured.

"Even then it's hard work for awhile until I get into the swing. Let no one imagine the muse comes without a summons and without a good deal of urging! At least she never does to me!"—Anna Wentworth in Woman's Home Companion.

Set For the Wrong Time.

He works in a down town office for a gruff old chap who has no love for laggards. He is due at 8 sharp, but as he likes to be out o' nights he never wakes up a moment too soon. He has an alarm clock, which he sets at 7, and this gives him barely time to dress, breakfast and reach the office.

One day last week, the man having forgotten to wind his clock the night before, it didn't go off. So there were explanations to be made about 8:30 a. m. This was the excuse:

"Well, you see, Mr. Gruff, I know how punctual you like all of your men to be, so I have an alarm clock, which I set for 7 in the morning. But, by mistake, I set it for 7 in the evening last night, and of course it didn't go off at 7 in the morning today, as usual. And I overslept myself."

"Ah, you did? Well, I'll excuse you this time. But set it properly after this."

And now the chap is wondering whether or not "the old man" was really fooled or merely wanted to let him down easy. Perhaps he thinks the boss believes he has a 24 hour clock.—Kansas City Journal.

Bull Baiting.

Although bull baiting was a cruel pastime, it was also a fulfilling of the law, for formerly no butcher was allowed to offer for sale the flesh of any bull that had not been baited. The goading of the animal in a fury was supposed to have some influence on the flesh. In a similar belief the flesh of a hunted hare was thought to be superior in flavor to that of one that had been shot, and a present of "a hunted hare" was considered to be a special compliment. In the records of the corporation of Leicester, England, the following order appears: "At a common hall, held on Thursday before St. Simon and St. Jude, 1467, 'no butcher to kill a bull till baited.'" At Winchester it was ordered (thirtieth Henry VIII) "that from hensforth ther shal be no bulstake set before any mayor's dore to bayte any bull, but onlle at the bull-ringe within the saide cytie."

The Perplexed Juror.

A man was being tried in New South Wales for stealing a watch. The evidence was conflicting, and the jury made up their minds to retire, but before they left the hall the judge remarked that if there were any points on which they required information he would be pleased to assist them. Eleven of the jurymen had left the box, but the twelfth remained standing, with his eyes fixed downward, as if absorbed in thought.

"Well, sir," said the judge, "is there any question you would like to ask me before you retire?"

"I would like to know, my lord," came the reply, "if you could tell us whether the prisoner stole the watch."

There are so many poor grammarians that we wonder grammar is not more unpopular.—Atchison Globe.

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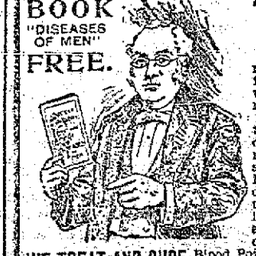

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The Philadelphia Record, which is not an ardent admirer of either Tillman or McLaurin, the senators from South Carolina, who have sent their resignations to the governor of the state, suggests that this is a chance of a lifetime on the Democrats of that state to elect two members of the United States senate who will really represent the intelligence of that state. In an editorial headed, "Oh, What a Chance," the editor of the Record, says:

"The people of South Carolina may certainly esteem themselves as favorites of Providence. Both of their United States senators, after lively exchange of personalities and under the spur of sudden anger, resigned their seats in the senate on Saturday last, their resignations to take effect September 15. Tillman was re-elected last summer and had six years to serve; McLaurin had nearly two years to serve. The two important offices are thus thrown open to all candidates, without reserve, and the electors of South Carolina have an opportunity to send senators to Washington who will be fit to speak for them and who might in some measure restore to the state the prestige and character which it had maintained so uninterruptedly before the civil war. South Carolina has not yet lost the breed of noble men, but they seem to have been politically submerged and lost to sight whilst the Tillmans and Irbys and McLaurins have floated to the top of affairs.

The explosive turn given to politics by the action of Saturday will bring on immediate activity. There will be a direct appeal to the people upon the part of candidates who will be voted for at the primaries at the time hereafter fixed upon by the Democratic state executive committee. There are forty counties in the state and there may be forty candidates, but the result of the voting will be deemed a conclusive instruction to the legislature. The candidates will specify for which senatorial term they offer themselves and those two who shall respectively get the largest vote will be the next senators.

As a result of this system of popular primary choice there will undoubtedly be one of the hottest and most vituperative campaigns ever carried on in any part of the country. The result can hardly be in doubt. Senator Tillman is a narrow and unscrupulous politician, but he has perhaps as much aggressive force of character as any man of prominence in the country. McLaurin will doubtless have subsidy backing and such support as the sympathy of the Republican party may lend him, but he is no match for his hurly and blustering antagonist.

What an opportunity the people of South Carolina have thrust upon them to get rid at once of the weakling and the swaggerer, if they shall only elect to be true to themselves! Not once in a hundred years does such a notable chance offer itself."

Because the legislature of Wisconsin proposes to violate the constitution of the United States by placing an export tax of ten cents a ton on all ice that shall be sent out of that state the Chicago ice dealers have notified the public that they will have to increase the price of ice to consumers in order to make up for the Wisconsin tax. Ten cents a ton would mean an insignificant sum to the small consumers, but it is safe to say that the increase will net the dealers many times the amount of the tax. As in the case of all imported articles, the consumer must pay the tax—and a great deal besides.

WAS QUICKLY ADJUSTED.

The Republican newspapers of this city are endeavoring to make political capital out of an error that was made in the last semi-annual settlement of ex-treasurer A. G. Lutz, but the facts surrounding the case are so clear, and Mr. Lutz's reputation for honesty and strict integrity is so far above reproach that no statements made by a partisan press can affect him, and the thousands of friends of the genial ex-treasurer in Allen county have not the slightest reason to have their confidence in him disturbed.

The facts in the case are these:

On September 3, 1900, the term of A. G. Lutz, as county treasurer, expired and prior to retiring from office it was his duty to turn over to his successor the funds which were in his hands as county and city treasurer.

The books of the county auditor showed that there should be cash to the amount of $26,397.37 in the various funds of the county and the books of the city showed that there should be funds to the amount of $114,432.14 in the various funds belonging to the city, to be transferred to the incoming treasurer.

The proper authorities went into the treasurer's office and counted the money and finding it to be correct, according to the books in the office, the custody of the office was transferred to the incoming treasurer and Mr. Lutz retired to private life.

About six weeks ago Mr. Lutz was called into the county treasurer's office and was shown that when the settlement in September was made there was an amount of $2,426.17 in marginal collections for the water works account which was not charged to the city treasurer. This showed ex-treasurer Lutz to be indebted to the water-works fund in the amount of $2,426.17 which sum he at once paid into the treasury, making the account balance.

The entire transaction is honest and open. At the time of the settlement in September Mr. Lutz paid over all that the books of the city and county showed him to be indebted to all funds, and when an error was found in the water works fund showing an amount still due that board, Mr. Lutz did what any other honest man would do—he paid the amount without any quibbling. Should the error be discovered, as it eventually will be, for there is manifestly a clerical error somewhere, showing that the amount paid by Mr. Lutz was wrongfully demanded of him, he will be reimbursed, but until that error is discovered he remains in the position of a man, who to preserve his integrity, has paid over an amount representing more than the gross earnings of his office between the date of his settlement in April, 1900 and his final settlement on September of that year.

It should be borne in mind that in April, 1900, a full and complete semi-annual settlement was made with Mr. Lutz in both the county and city accounts, and from that time until his final settlement in September, not one penny was drawn from the treasury by Mr. Lutz for his private use—not even for the payment of his deputy. His entire percentage on the collections during that period remained intact, and it was this amount, along with some other unpaid percentages which made up the amount of about $2200 paid to him at the termination of his term of office.

HOW IT COULD OCCUR.

It is a foregone conclusion that Mr. Lutz did not get the $2,426.17 which the marginal collections showed belonged to the water works fund. The total amount received by him upon retiring from office was less than that amount. The universal opinion is that it will ultimately be discovered that some city orders had been paid by the treasurer which have not been entered upon the books, and which when properly placed there will balance the amount of the marginal collection entry which has caused the temporary trouble.

In a conversation this morning with Mr. Thomas, one of the committee which is examining the books and accounts of the city, and which committee discovered the error, that gentleman stated that the error could easily have been made in the payment of a bunch of city orders which, having been paid might have been brushed to the floor or into the waste basket before they had been entered upon the books. Owing to the large number of city orders outstanding amounting to over $80,000 it is absolutely impossible to check them up, and discover thereby what order it was that had been presented and paid and not properly entered up.

The accounts of Mr. Lutz as county treasurer, balanced to a cent when they were checked up.

LESSONS OF THE PANIC.

Feud of Princes of Finance May Lead to Reform.

MAY BRING GOOD OUT OF EVIL

People's Eyes Opened to the Dangerous Power of the Money Trust—National and State Legislation May Be Invoked to Curb the Greed of Monopoly.

There are a few things that have been exemplified by the late Wall street panic that are of enormous importance to the whole people, and the most important object lesson is the vast power of money. When the panic was at its height and money was loaning for 60 per cent, a few bankers met and agreed to loan $16,000,000 at 6 per cent and thus aid the recovery of the market. The banks composing the clearing house association are a kind of money trust, having command of hundreds of millions of dollars, and if it suits the purpose of the managers they can make or mar the market for stocks and bring on or retard a panic at any time, as nearly all the transactions on Wall street are conducted on borrowed capital and mostly on call loans which can be called or foreclosed at any time by simply giving a few hours' notice.

This power has been used both ways and will again when it suits the money trust to do so.

It will be remembered that the great panic at the beginning of the second Cleveland administration was precipitated by the banks to force congress to pass the repeal of the silver coinage act. It is probable that the money trust did not intend that panic to be so disastrous, as it imperiled their own stability and led to the downfall of some of their associates.

There is, however, a prospect that these princes of finance may disagree over the division of the spoils won from the people by the trust combinations, and, although this would probably precipitate a panic which would involve the whole country, it may be made to bring good out of evil by opening the eyes of the people to the causes that allow such an abnormal condition of affairs. It may thus lead to national and state legislation that will curb the trusts, and by the repeal of the protective tariff and other laws that now allow monopoly and with honest servants to execute the laws and not as is now done, loaning to the banks enormous sums, without interest, at present amounting to over $00,000,000, a reform may be inaugurated that will allow every citizen an equal show in his efforts for success in life.

As an instance that all is not lovely among the powers that rule in the financial world the financial correspondent of the Chicago Chronicle says: "Morgan's ambition was held responsible for the panic. It was charged that he had tried to 'hog' the railroad situation in the north and middle west and ride rough shod over such long established kings in the railroad world as Harriman, Vanderbilt and Schiff without regard to the consequences in that financial district."

Bank presidents for other reasons denounced James Stillman of the National City bank while the panic was at its height. One of them declared that Stillman's ambition to rule in finance to the exclusion of all others was intensifying the panic.

Another heatedly made the prediction that Stillman and his ambitions would one day engulf Wall street in the greatest financial disaster the world had ever known.

Another thing to note is that stock gambling has assumed such large proportions that no town or village is without its votary. The newspapers all over the country tell the same tale of great losses by these devotees of the stock gambling habit. New York and Chicago are largely supported by the enormous amount of commissions paid to bankers and brokers by these small traders. Of the constant stream of dollars that pour into these cities from every town and hamlet but few return, and those that do are sweated by the rake off.

The Standard Oil Trust.

The enormous dividends of the Standard Oil trust are worrying the Republican newspapers, and they are telling their credulous readers that the trust has reduced the price of oil more than one-half since its organization. This attempt to make out that the trust is a huge philanthropic institution is laughable, but more than half the fellows who read these newspapers will believe it. But the facts are that when Rockefeller organized the trust the oilfields were confined to a comparatively small territory in western Pennsylvania, while now oilfields have been opened in all parts of the country, and there are gushers that spout forth thousands of gallons daily. Of course the price is reduced.

We've Had Enough.

The attempt of President McKinley to arouse the enthusiasm of his audiences by alluding to "the flag," which he did 26 times in three days, would indicate that we are soon to be entangled in trouble with some foreign foe. We are hardly over one war yet, Mr. President. Better give us a bit of a rest and allow the war taxes we are still paying to be repealed.

Corporations and Labor.

The feelings of the steel trust toward the labor unions might have been expected, though President Schwab was not very diplomatic in giving out the opinion. Corporations have no souls, and no one knows it better than organized labor.

LET THE PEOPLE RULE.

Republican Courts Place Obstacles In the Way of Reform.

Jefferson said, "I am not among those who fear the people." But how different is the case with the modern Republican party! The effort to give the people a direct vote on important laws that are to govern them has been indorsed by the Democratic party in some states and will be forced as an issue in others and possibly be adopted as a national remedy as a check on much evil legislation that we now suffer from.

First attempts at radical changes in the machinery of a government always meet with obstacles, especially when favored corporations with vast means of corruption, such as railroads, are likely to have some of their special privileges curtailed or abolished. It is no wonder therefore that in one of the first states to adopt this reform it should meet with a rebuff at the hands of a Republican court and legislature.

South Dakota's initiative and referendum, which was embodied in the state constitution two or three years ago, says the Springfield Republican, is thought to have been wrecked by a recent decision of the state supreme court. The referendum amendment limited the absolute power of the legislature to such special cases of legislation as were mentioned in the constitution itself. Now the constitution also provides, somewhat loosely, that whenever the legislature declares certain bills to be emergency measures these emergency measures may become laws without being brought within the scope of the referendum clauses of the constitution. A test case was made up by the foes of the referendum in passing an act legislating some fusionists out of office, the act being pronounced an emergency measure by the legislature.

The South Dakota court decides that it is impossible to consider the motives of the legislature in making any bill an emergency measure and that any law which emanates from that body thus labeled cannot be referred to the people. It also decided that no act which the legislature chooses to pronounce necessary for the protection of the public peace, health, safety or support of the state government and its existing institutions can be referred to the people. The right of initiative by the people in legislation was not passed upon by the court, but that remains of little service if the referendum has been emasculated. It is evident that any legislature under that decision can choke off final reference of its work to the popular vote by a simple majority declaration. The friends of the referendum declare that, while the first attempt to substitute direct legislation for the representative system has apparently failed, the question will be a live issue, if not the controlling one, in the next state election.

COERCING A STATE.

Administration Punishing Delaware For Disobeying Its Behests.

The administration is very anxious to control two-thirds of the members of the United States senate to pass the reciprocity treaties and to further the ends of Hanna. There are two vacancies from Delaware, and if these could be filled by Republicans it would nearly fill the desired quota. J. Edward ("Gas") Addicks is the bone of contention there, and the Chicago Chronicle says:

Delaware has been regarded as a corrupt state in politics. But Addicks could not effect a corrupt combination which would give him a seat in the senate. All the power of the national administration applied by Mark Hanna was used to force Addicks' election. His challenge of "Addicks or nobody" was met by the answer, "Nobody."

So Delaware now has no United States senator. But the administration in seeking re-enforcements in the senate is attempting yet to force an election in Delaware at a special session of the legislature which the governor has been asked and is willing to call. He would call a special session if he could be assured of Addicks' election.

To coerce the legislature the administration is using all its energies. Several important offices have been denied to Delaware applicants. The free seed distribution for Delaware has been cut off. Plans for rural delivery of the mails have been suspended. In other ways Delaware is under the frown of power because the Republicans in the legislature, with a purchasable Democratic contingent, are unable to elect Addicks as United States senator.

Delaware is a little state, but it can stand great persecution. The facts reveal one of the very worst and most putrid scandals in American political history. A revolution is coming.

Get the Documents.

The Cubans are reported to be about to accept the terms of the United States on the strength of promises and explanations made by the administration. They will find that unless they have these assurances in black and white they will discover themselves tied up in a diplomatic tangle, with a high tariff against their products to bring them to terms.

The Newest Combine.

The latest combine is a $10,000,000 shovel trust to be known as the American Shovel and Tool company, which will include all the 14 concerns now in the business. The tariff is 45 per cent on the articles covered by this trust. Mr. Babcock.

The Imperial Programme.

The Hanna boom for president is well thought of by a good many Republican newspapers. These same partisan organs will swing into line for a third term if that is the imperial programme.

Land Crabs.

One of the commonest and the largest of the Christmas island land crabs is the well known robber crab, which is found in most of the tropical islands of the Indian and Pacific oceans. It sometimes reaches a length of two feet and may measure seven inches across the back. Its colors are of a very gaudy description, the ground color being a bright red, upon which there are stripes of yellow, but in some cases a purplish blue is the prevailing tint.

The eyes are fixed on stalks which can be moved independently of one another, and there are two pairs of feelers, one long, the other short. The latter pair are continually jerked up and down. There is a pair of powerful claws, then several walking legs. In general appearance these animals are much more like rather stout lobsters than crabs, and one's first encounter with one of these creatures in the middle of a forest far from the sea is productive of much astonishment on both sides.

Another species of land crab common in Christmas island is a little bright red animal which in general shape is much like the common shore crab. This variety makes burrows in the ground, and in some places the soil is honeycombed with hundreds of holes. The crabs spend most of their time collecting dead leaves, which they carry in their claws, holding them up over their heads, and drag down into their burrows, into which they scuttle at the least alarm.—Pearson's Magazine.

Crabs In Disguise.

Human beings are not the only creatures that have discovered the appetizing, though indigestible, qualities of crabs, and some of these animals have been compelled to resort to various defensive measures. Disguise is one of these and is practiced with great effect by spider crabs.

These deliberately bite up seaweeds and plant them on their backs, very soon establishing a growth which harmonizes perfectly with the surroundings and deceives many an enemy. Should the weeds grow too vigorously, the crab industriously prunes them with his claws and every now and then scrapes the whole lot off and starts a fresh garden on his roof, so to speak.

The sponge crab behaves in a similar manner, nipping off little bits of living sponge and sticking them on his back, where they grow vigorously. The same end is served as in the other case. It is very amusing to keep crabs of one or other of these kinds in an aquarium and deprive them of the usual means of concealment.

They get very nervous and agitated and try to cover themselves with bits of paper or anything else that may be provided. One such captive is said to have had a little greatcoat made for him, which he put on in a hurry as soon as it was handed to him.

The Earl and the Highwayman.

One night when the Earl of Stanhope was walking alone in the Kentish lanes a man jumped out of the hedge, leveled a pistol and demanded his purse.

"My good man, I have no money with me," said Lord Stanhope in his remarkably slow tones. The robber laid hands on his watch.

"No," Lord Stanhope went on, "that watch you must not have. It was given to me by one I love. It is worth £100. If you will trust me, I will go back to Chevening and bring a £100 note and place it in the hollow of that tree. I cannot lose my watch."

The man did trust him. The earl did bring the note. Years after Lord Stanhope was at a city dinner, and next to him sat a London alderman of great wealth, a man widely respected. He and the earl talked of many things and found each other mutually entertaining. Next day Lord Stanhope received a letter, out of which dropped a £100 note. "It was your lordship's kind loan of this sum," said the note, "that started me in life and enabled me to have the honor of sitting next to your lordship at dinner." A strange story; but the Stanhopes are a strange race, and things happen to them that never did or could occur to other people.

To Be Cheerful.

The sovereign, voluntary path to cheerfulness, if our spontaneous cheerfulness be lost, is to sit up cheerfully, to look around cheerfully and to act and speak as if cheerfulness were already there. If such conduct doesn't make you soon feel cheerful, nothing else will on that occasion. So, to feel brave, act as if we were brave, use all our will to that end, and a courage fit will very likely replace the fit of fear. Again, in order to feel kindly toward a person to whom we have been inimical, the only way is more or less deliberately to smile, to make sympathetic inquiries and to force ourselves to say genial things. One hearty laugh together will bring enemies into closer communion of heart than hours spent on both sides in inward wrestling with the mental demon of uncharitable feeling.

Why We Wink.

No satisfactory determination has been made of the reason we wink. Some suppose that the descent and return of the lid over the eye serve to sweep or wash it off; others that covering of the eye gives it a rest from the labor of vision, if only for an inappreciable instant. This view borrows some force from the fact that the record of winking is considerably used by experimental physiologists to help measure the fatigue which the eye suffers.—Popular Science.

Hard Work.

Employer—What's the matter with you?

Muddled Clerk—Tired; tha'sh all.

"Tired, eh?"

"Yesh; I been workin like a horse."

"Ah, I see. Carrying a load, eh?"—Philadelphia Record.

FUNERAL

Of Chris. Patterson Will be Held Tomorrow.

The funeral of Chris. Patterson, the young man who was fatally injured by falling off of the railroad bridge at Elm street Sunday night will be held at Union chapel, east of the city, tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Ward cemetery.

NOTICE.

The L. O. T. M. Lima Hive No. 43, will give a progressive pedro and ice cream social, Wednesday evening, May 29. 3-2t

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delicate question and one which the president and his advisers will consider in all its bearings before coming to a conclusion. Members of the cabinet decline to discuss the subject for publication. They united in a message of congratulation to former Attorney General Griggs, who prepared and presented the government's case to the supreme court.

TO THE POINT.

News of the Four Quarters Presented In Popular Form.

At Kindred, N. D., fire destroyed 22 buildings; loss $100,000.

Feared that President Errazuriz of Chile is fatally stricken by paralysis.

Adam Martineau, 35, farmer near Lincoln, R. I., murdered his wife and suicided.

At Medicine Bow, Wy., cowboy named Ambler mortally wounded Fred Mole and killed Richard England. Murderer arrested.

Hewitt Green of Louisville, appointed in March secretary of United States legation at Guatemala, is dead. Never able to leave for his post.

General Schoeman of Boer army and a daughter killed by explosion of a shell kept as a curiosity at his home in Pretoria. Wife and two daughters slightly injured.

Body weighted with chains taken from Danube river near Budapest, believed to be Romanogli, anarchist who left Paterson, N. J., to assassinate emperor of Germany.

AN ORDINANCE.

Levying Taxes for Municipal Purposes For the Year 1901.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, as follows:

Sec. 1. That there be, and hereby is levied, for municipal purposes, in said city, for the year 1901, upon each dollar of valuation of taxable property, real and personal, returned for taxable purposes, in said corporation, the sum of 12.8 mills, and that said levy be, and hereby is apportioned as follows:

	Mills.
Fire Fund	1.5
Fire Building Fund	.2
General Fund	1.8
Light Fund	1.9
Library Fund	.2
Hospital	.3
Refunding Bonds Int.	.4
Police Fund	.3
Poor Fund	.1
Sanitary Fund	.3
Sewer	2.2
Sidewalk Fund	.2
Special Street Improvement	1.0
Street Fund	1.9
Water Works Bonds Int.	.5
	12.8

Sec. 2. That the City Clerk be, and hereby is directed to certify the above levy to the County Auditor to be placed upon the tax list for collection according to law.

Sec. 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

R. E. DAVIS,
President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.
Passed May 27, 1901. 4-2t

A RESOLUTION.

Declaring it Necessary to Improve Boyer Street, From the Findlay Road North to the Northern Terminus of Said Street, by Grading the Same to the Established Grade.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, as follows:

Sec. 1. That it is necessary to improve Boyer street in said city, from the Findlay road north to the northern terminus of said street, by grading the same to the established grade.

Sec. 2. That such grading shall be done in all respects in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications therefor, now on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer.

Sec. 3. That the cost and expense of such grading shall be assessed per front foot upon the several lots and tracts of land abutting upon said street between said points, and such assessment, when made, shall be made payable at such time as may hereafter be determined and fixed by an assessing ordinance.

Sec. 4. That E. D. Randall be, and he hereby is appointed to serve notice of the adoption of this resolution upon the owner or owners of each separate lot and tract of land abutting upon said street between said points, who are residents of Allen county, in the manner prescribed by law.

R. E. DAVIS,
President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.
Adopted May 27, 1901.
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SUPERB CIRCUS EQUIPMENT.

In point of equipment the Great Wallace Shows, which visits us shortly, is absolutely without a peer. No money is spared, no expense considered too great to obtain the best that art and ingenuity have devised in this department of industry.

All the latest improvements, all the costly inventions and innovations in equipment are placed under contribution, and as a result Mr. Wallace can boast of three trains of cars that surpass anything in America or Europe.

The trains, owing to the new safety and labor-saving devices with which they are equipped, are a never-failing source of interest and admiration to railroad men, and they may be seen gathering around them examining and discussing the parts for hours at a time whenever the show visits an important railroad center.

It is said that Mr. Wallace's railroad equipment alone cost more than any other big show in its entirety.

At Lima, Ohio, on Saturday, June 1.

AN ORDINANCE.

To Prevent Children From Climbing Upon Wagons and Other Vehicles.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, as follows:

Sec. 1. That is shall be unlawful for any youth under the age of 18 years to climb upon or go upon any wagon, carriage or other vehicle, without authority or invitation so to do from the party in charge of such wagon, carriage or other vehicle.

Sec. 2. That any youth violating any of the provisions of section one of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined in any sum not exceeding $10.00, or imprisoned in the jail of the city not more than five days, or both.

Sec. 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law.

R. E. DAVIS,
President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.
Passed May 27, 1901. 4-2t

RECEIVER'S SALE.

National Supply Co., Plaintiff,
vs.
L. E. Bloomfield, et al., Defendants.
No. 16558.

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, in the above entitled case, and to the undersigned, receivers, we will offer for sale, on the premises of L. E. Bloomfield, in Spencerville, Allen county, Ohio, on

Tuesday, June 11th, 1901,

at ten (10) o'clock a. m., all the property of said L. E. Bloomfield, now in the hands of the undersigned, receivers in the above entitled case, said property consisting of drilling and fishing tools, boilers and engines, wagons, harness, one work team and one pony. Said property is now stored at the residence of the said L. E. Bloomfield, and an itemized schedule is on file with the receivers at Lima and Spencerville, Ohio, subject to inspection. Said property will be sold at public auction and the highest bids received therefor are to be reported to the Court of Common Pleas for confirmation. Terms of sale cash.

M. P. COLT,
CHAS. GESSELCHEN,
Receivers of L. E. Bloomfield.
Cable & Parmenter, Attorneys.
w&s-tt

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 10449.
Ex. Doc. V. Page 389.

John Long, plaintiff
vs.
Patrick Long, et al., defendants.
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of a writ of sale in partition, issued from the court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, June 29, A. D. 1901,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Tract number one: Inlot number forty-two hundred and seventy-three (4273) in the city of Lima, Ohio; appraised at four hundred and twenty-five ($425.00) dollars.

Tract number two: Inlot number forty-two hundred and sixty-six (4266) in McCullough's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio. Appraised at four hundred ($400.00) dollars.

Tract number three: Commencing at a point in the south line forty-eight (48) feet, six (6) inches, west of the south east corner of inlot number nine hundred and fifty-six (956) in Nichol's addition to the town, now city of Lima, Ohio; thence north parallel with the east line of said lot, to a point in the north line of said lot; thence west on said north line to a point forty-nine (49) feet; thence south parallel with the east line of said lot to a point on the south line of said lot; thence east on said south line, forty-nine feet to a place of beginning; appraised at four hundred and seventy-five ($475.00) dollars.

Terms of sale: One-third (1-3) cash, balance in equal payments in one and two years bearing interest at six per cent. per annum and secured by mortgage on the premises sold.

Tract number one and number two, are situated on the south side of east McKibben street, between Jefferson and Liberty street.

Tract number three, situated on the north side of west McKibben, between north McDonald and north Metcalf streets.

E. A. BOGART,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, May 28, 1901.
Motter, Mackenzie & Weadock,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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ERE'S FOR A PLUNGE!

y many women feel equal to a elow the watery deep? How of them have the nerve for it? few.

ost every woman suffers from kened condition of the mu- embrane that lines her body is saps her vitality and energy. filled with nervous terrors es not find life worth living. s told she has dyspepsia or e weakness" when in reality g ails her but catarrh or in- tion of the delicate lining of gans.

needs Pe-ru-na and nothing It is the only medicine nec- to restore her strength. s the use of dragging through lf alive when Pe-ru-na will ack all its pleasure? This e is a tonic for the whole nd there is no doubt at all t you need it, for it is the l cure for all troubles.

PHALENS

Lima in Trouble in Columbus.

Mixed Up in a Free-r-all Saloon Fight.

Them are Sent to the Hos- and a Third is Held at e Police Station—Not of Tom's Family.

olumbus Press-Post contains wing concerning three Lima ed Phalen, who, however, are bers of the family of ex-chief Thomas Phalen, Lawrence, Richard Phalen:

e-for-all row in a Naghten loon in which Dominick Pha- urt is a subject for police in- on. As a result of the fight, halen, Fred Phalen, James and the bartender, William , were arrested. The fight between two parties of five t men. Other arrests will be The Phalens mentioned are all na, O.

Phalen, one of the men with fighting in a saloon at street and Locust alley, was and the case went over to Dominick Phalen, a brother was sent to St. Francis' hos- John Phalen had been taken headquarters and afterwards rancis' hospital. There are sts to be made and the case nued to Friday morning."

HE LECTURE

Adams Will be a Rare Treat.

ry Austin Adams will lec- opera house, Lima, Friday une 14, under the auspices ghts of Columbus. Subject, tre."

LL BE MARRIED.

wden, aged 20 years, by the his mother, Mrs. Etherington- ured a license to wed Miss lley, aged 21, a sister of Rinehart, of north West e marriage will occur to- ning at their own home on y street, which the groom ed for their reception. friends tender congratu- lations.

WON

The Praise of all Who Attended

A.O.H. No. One

Give an Excellent Entertainment,

Celebrating the Anniversary of the Birth of Thomas Moore.

Scholarly Address by Rev. Father Manning Followed by a Splendid Program and an Informal Social.

The entertainment given by Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernions in the Wheeler hall last night in the honor of the anniversary of the birth of Thomas Moore, Ireland's renowned patrial and poet, was one of the most pleasing and successful events of the kind that has ever been held in the city. The Hibernians have always been first class entertainers and last night's event added new and merited laurels to that popular organization. The event was well patronized, the hall being crowded to standing room before the opening number of the excellent programme was announced.

The entertainment began with an address by Rev. Father Manning to whom was assigned the topic, "The Life of Thomas Moore". The address was as scholarly as it was entertaining, the eloquent eulogy of the great poet being exceptionally fitting and entertaining.

The adress by Rev. Manning was followed by the following excellent program, each number of which was received enthusiastic applause.

Song, Byron's Toast to Moore—Peter Laughlin.

Song, Where the Sweet Magnolias Bloom—John Brennan.

Song with chorus, Coon, Coon, Coon—Michael Kelly.

Song, When the Birds are Cooing—Miss Anna Kane.

Song, Make New Friends but Keep the Old.

Encore, The Harp that once through Tara's Hall—James Weadock.

Song, Melancholy Mose—Tim Daley.

Song, Waiting—Miss Anna Gagin.

Song, Parody on Little Mary—John Malloy.

Song, Sweet Susan—Thomas Cunningham.

Character sketch, Just Because the Fortune Teller Told Me, and encore, There's no Sandal in our Family—Miss Justus Lawlor and John Brennan.

Character sketch, When the Irish Beat the Band—Peter Laughlin and John Guinan.

After the formal program was concluded the members of the order and their delighted guests enjoyed an informal social, in which dancing was a pleasant feature until midnight. The evening's entertainment was all that could be wished for and the Hibernians are receiving praise for their success from all who were present.

RETURNED

To Bluffton After a Wedding in Lima.

J. G. Stettler, a grocer, of Bluffton, and Miss Alice Besire, a clerk in Beache's dry goods store in the same town, drove to Lima yesterday afternoon and repaired to the home of Rev. Land, pastor of the German Reformed church, where they were quietly married. The only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Benroth, who accompanied the bride and groom from Bluffton.

BLOODHOUNDS.

Chief Harley Receives a Fine Pair from Georgia.

Today, Chief of Police Harley received a fine pair of bloodhound pups from Rome, Georgia. The dogs are from the kennels of the best man trailers in the south, being thoroughbreds from the hounds of the Georgia convict camps. Chief Harley will have the animals trained for service and will use them for the purpose of trailing criminals.

The Markel Co's. electric wiring is reliable. 133 east High street. 4-2t

PERSONAL.

Mr. Rob. Melly is at home from Warren, Ind., suffering from a serious attack of the grip.

Mrs. Andrew Bird and son Paul have gone to Kentucky for a visit.

Mrs. Carson Dalzell, of north West street, is home from a weeks stay in Cincinnati.

Mrs. A. L. White, of north West street, is the guest of relatives at Mt. Vernon.

Miss Harriet Hover is the guest of friends in Toledo this week.

Miss Daisy Ellis is entertaining Miss Jesselyn Taylor, of Uniapolis.

Mrs. John Roby is home from a visit with her parents at Delaware, Ohio.

Miss Delia Cartwell, of Columbus, is the guest of Mrs. Charles Hover, of west Market street.

Mrs. John Thomas is visiting relatives in Toledo.

Miss Sabine Carnes who has been attending the National Park Seminary at Washington, D. C., returns home this week accompanied by a friend.

Miss Mary Gray will be home from St. Vincents academy at Cincinnati this week.

Mrs. A. S. Bower went to Lafayette yesterday afternoon to inspect the chapter of the order of Eastern Star.

Thomas Sharkey (not the pugalist) formerly of Glynwood, O., who has been in Egypt for the past eighteen months, representing an oil syndicate, was the guest of friends here yesterday and left last night to join his wife who is visiting friends in Spencerville.

Mrs. L. G. Roebuck, of Delphos, and Mrs. I. Moning, of Lima, were guests of Mrs. M. L. DePuy and Mrs. M. H. Bonner, Monday.—Van Wert Bulletin.

Fred Carlin, of Findlay, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Anthony Cunningham, of north Elizabeth street, who has been in the employe of J. E. Summers, the fashionable tailor, left yesterday for Norfolk, Va., to accept a position as cutter in a large tailoring house.

Miss Jo Lynch, of West and McKibben streets left this morning for Clyde, Ohio, to attend the commencement exercises this evening of the Clyde high school, her sister Miss Golores Lynch being one of the class to graduate.

Rev. J. B. Mooney, who has been in Toledo assisting the pastor of St. Frances de Saels church in the forty hours devotion exercises, returned this afternoon.

Miss Alice Caffrey, of north Elizabeth street, is the guest of friends in Springfield.

F. E. Smith went to Lima, this morning, to see how the construction of his automobile is coming along.... Frank Wulfhorst was in Lima on business.... Miss Lucy Wahmhoff went to Lima to visit her sisters.—Delphos Herald.

CONSUMPTION

Caused the Death of Charles Miller Yesterday.

Charles H. Miller, a well and favorably known young man of the south side, died at his home in the Williams block on south Main street, yesterday afternoon, death resulting from consumption after a long illness. The deceased was 24 years of age and is survived by his wife, father, two sisters and one brother. Short services will be conducted at the bereaved residence by Rev. W. H. Leatherman tomorrow morning and the remains will be taken over the C. & E., to Rockford, where the funeral and interment will occur.

SOCIAL.

The ladies of the Eastern Star will give an ice cream and strawberry social in the Masonic banquet room, Wednesday evening, May 29th. The public is cordially invited. Admission 15 cents. 3-2t.

ATTENTION U. V. U.

The comrades and their families—members of the Union Veterans Union, are invited to a dinner served by the W. V. R. U. at their hall in Donze block at 1 p. m. on Decoration Day, May 30, 1901. Come and meet with us. LOUIS F. ELLIS, Col.
C. COWLES, Adj.

QUESTION

Shall Lima Have High School.

Is Drawing Citizens Into the Debate

Which Concerns Especially the Location of the Building—Vote Will be Taken Next Monday.

On next Monday, June 3d, the voters will decide whether Lima shall have a high school building. Upon that date, between the hours of 5:30 a. m. and 5:30 p. m., at the usual voting places in each precinct, there will be held a special election, called to determine the matter. The ballot, in conformity to the law, will contain the question as to whether a special levy shall be made for the purpose and how, but the real question is, a high school building or not.

In view of the temporary and adverse conditions under which the high school is, and for some time has been, conducted, there is no doubt that a desirable building should be immediately provided. The occupation of Lima College and the Holland block was merely a temporary expedient, forced upon the board of education, by the sudden destruction of the old East building. The structure in which the school now is, was built for commercial purposes, not for educational work. It is inadequately heated, is without proper ventilation, lighting and sanitary conveniences. Furthermore, it is in the center of business where the noise of traffic interferes with study, and the boys and girls are brought daily into contact with street scenes which are detrimental. It is impossible to conduct a high school of the best class under such conditions, and no city which has in view its highest interests, tolerates it. Every where in this country the high school building is among the most important public edifices of the town, if not itself the most important.

The need of this high school building is more important than whether or not it shall be located a few squares from some arbitrary point. The people should decide as to whether or not we shall have a high school building. It is the duty of the board of education both legally, and because it is assumed to be best qualified, to determine whether the building shall be placed. After it is settled that there shall be a building, then it will be the privilege of any citizen or citizens, or any part of the city, to present their respective claims as to location. It is certain that what is best for all the city, in this matter, is best for any part of the city.

The citizens of Lima, who are looking to the highest good of the community, both now and for the future, should not neglect to take an active part in bringing about the right result next Monday.

CITIZEN.

LITTLE

Time Occupied in Presenting the Issues.

The work of the petit jury was continued today without interruption, the case of the Brown Shoe company vs. John Bixel, which calls up a disputed contract on a bill for shoes, being the point the matter at issue. It did not take long to present the evidence and the case is being argued this afternoon.

LAST SAD RITES.

The funeral services over the remains of Charles H. Miller will be conducted in the rooms occupied by the deceased over Cramer's drug store at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. Rev. Leatherman will officiate.

FIRST COMMUNION.

A class of 115 boys and girls, who have been under instructions for the past four a five months under the direction of Rev. A. E. Manning, will receive their holy communion at St. Rose church on Sunday morning, June 9th.

I. O. O. F. NOTICE.

Rebekah and subordinate committees on Memorial exercises are requested to meet at Allen lodge hall, Friday, May 31, 1901, at 7:30 p. m. By order of COMMITTEE.
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Veal Loaf, Boiled Ham, Souce and Dried Beef at Townsend's.

CONVENTION

Of Lutheran Ladies in St. Paul's Church.

The first convention of the Woman's Aid and Mission Society is in session tohay in St. Paul's church.

Reports were read this morning from twenty-nine societies having a membership of 957 women. The convention was called by a committee of the district synod composed of Rev. F. W. E. Peschau, D. D., of Miamisburg; Rev. J. H. Hunton, of Lima, and Rev. J. M. Wenrich, of Steutsville. The devotional services were conducted by Rev. Hunton after which Dr. Peschau made a statement of the origin and object of the society.

A temporary organization was effected by the election of Mrs. Emma Coutellier, of Columbus, president, and Miss Catharine Reel, of Lima, secretary. This afternoon's session began at 2 o'clock and after the roll of delegates was called, a constitution was adopted and a permanent organization effected. Rev. E. M. Potts, of Middlepoint, conducted the service of opening. Papers were presented on the following subjects: "The Wisdom and Benefits of Organization," by Miss Rebecca Reedy, of Miamisburg; "Woman's Work in and for the Church," by Miss Margaret Puck, of Toledo; "Opportunities Offered Us Now," by Miss Hannah Gordon, of Lima.

The sessions will be continued this evening, beginning at 7:30, when a paper will be presented by Miss Grace Hunton, of Lima, and addresses will be delivered by the Revs. Ash, of Ada, and Bossart, of Lima.

TUMBLED

The Cook Down a Flight of Stairs

And Tried to Clean Out the Atlantic House.

Louis Singlinger Went Home With a Bad Pair of Eyes But Was Was Brought Back from Kenton.

Constable Cremean went to Kenton today and returned with Louis Singlinger. If the latter had wanted to come back of his own accord he would have had to find somebody to lead him as he wears a beautiful pair of optics which were presented him by John H. Riley, one of the proprietors of the Atlantic house.

Singlinger has been employed as a hostler at Pangle's livery barn, and for the past two months has been boarding at the Atlantic, opposite the Erie depot. Sunday he got outside of a heavy dose of bitters and finding Kate Pheasant, the cook, up on the third floor he assaulted her and threw her down a flight of stirs. Then he and proprietor Riley mixed it up, the latter putting a finger out of joint and bruising his hand by the blow which closed Singlinger's eyes.

The drunken boarder fought like a tiger and succeeded in breaking a beer bottle over the hand of W. H. Burris, a half brother of Riley who also has an interest in the hotel. For the first part of the disturbance, Mayor McComb fined Singlinger $5.60 but permited him to go back to work. The proprietor of the barn didn't care for his services and he picked up a stone to throw it through the window. He was again taken in tow and ordered out of town. His baggage was checked to Kenton and last night he threatened to complete his task of cleaning out the Atlantic but was prevened by Dan McSweany. Officer Gardiner saw him get on the train but he went through the car and got off on the other side. The police hunted for him last night and Mr. Riley went before Justice Duffield and had a peace warrant served. Singlinger left for Kenton this morning and was arrested there by Constable Cremean who brought him back to Lima. He was arraigned this morning and sent to jail to await a hearing which has been set for 9 o'clock Friday morning.

WANTED.

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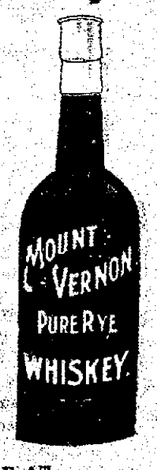

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PRINCE OF PROMOTERS.

Interesting Incidents In the Career of Count Mitkiewicz.

HIS ENTERPRISES WERE LEGION.

Traveled Widely and Was Everywhere Renowned For Remarkable Talents—Hoodwinked Earl Li and Almost Secured a Concession From the Chinese Empire to Build Telephone Lines There.

Count Eugene Mitkiewicz, who made and lost many fortunes, died the other night at his summer home in Asbury Park of heart disease.

Eugene Stanislas Kostra de Mitkiewicz had a history that reads like sensational fiction, says the New York World. His claims to the title of count have been stubbornly disputed, although his family is of high social standing in Poland.

His American debut occurred in November, 1863, at a ball given in honor of the Russian fleet then anchored in New York harbor. There he met Miss Julia Lumelino, a noted New York beauty, and, as the story goes, playfully transferred from her finger to his own a valuable diamond ring.

He returned it a day later with apologies, but the costly stones had been replaced with paste. Mitkiewicz was lodged in the Tombs, but Miss Lumelino refused to prosecute.

That summer the count appeared at Amherst, Mass., in the guise of a nobleman with an annual income of $300,000. He was a suitor for the hand of Miss Caroline Lester, an heiress. The family opposed the suit, but ten years later he married her.

London, Germany and Italy were visited, and when the count returned to this country his finances were in flourishing shape. He appeared in Washington with a retinue of servants and a wardrobe of surpassing elegance and variety. His manners were the suavest and most fascinating ever seen at the national capital.

The count promoted a number of Potomac river summer resorts, garnered a rich harvest of money, then switched to other schemes.

His plan was to win concessions from the Chinese government for a national banking business and a complete system of railroads, telegraphs and telephones for the vast kingdom. Li Hung Chang gave Count Mitkiewicz his friendship and support.

In 1887 the count reappeared in this country, proudly announcing possession of these wonderful Chinese concessions and asking $25,000,000 with which to make a billion or more. Wharton Barker of Philadelphia and other prominent men joined the count, with plenty of money. All that was needed was to obtain the signature of the Chinese minister at Washington to certain papers. That signature was never secured, and the gigantic scheme collapsed.

He was sued civilly and prosecuted criminally. With unfaltering nerve he met every attack, laughing at his accusers and throwing money away with both hands.

The count's daily tip to his favorite barber was a $10 note. His weekly bills at Delmonico's averaged close to $1,000. His gifts to impecunious friends were princely in amount and manner of bestowal. A mere hint of financial need opened the count's purse to any man he fancied.

But when his money was exhausted Count Mitkiewicz borrowed just as recklessly as he had previously given. Friends became fewer, and during the last few years he had been heard of seldom except in connection with claims, suits and judgments.

Count Mitkiewicz was married three times. His first wife died in 1885, leaving several children. Two years later he married the granddaughter of Chief Justice John Marshall. She died in 1893. His widow was Miss Ethel Small of Melville, Md.

HEAT FROM STARS.

Recorded by an Instrument Used by Professor E. F. Nichols.

That some of the fixed stars and also the planets send heat to the earth in the rays which show us their position in space has been demonstrated by Professor E. F. Nichols of Dartmouth college, near Williams Bay, Wis., who for two years has been experimenting in the Yerkes observatory in Chicago.

It is needless to say that the amount of heat is infinitesimal, and this fact attests to the sensitiveness of the radiometer, the professor's instrument. It is so finely constructed that it detects the heat thrown out from a candle a mile away.

Heretofore astronomers have wondered if the light rays of the stars carried with them any heat. The great distance of the stars from the earth rendered the hypothesis improbable, for in traversing so many hundreds of millions of miles of space warmth would be dissipated.

Professor Nichol's instrument resembles somewhat the bolometer and the radiomidrometer used in measuring heat rays.

Banana Culture In California.

Banana growing is a feature of fruit raising in southern California. Though it does not meet with the same success that it does in tropical regions, the enterprise is said to be making fair progress.

Missouri's Ubiquitous Mule.

Having fully relieved the emergency in South Africa, according to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, the Missouri mule is now being shipped to the Klondike to haul gold.

THESE CLOTHES FIT.

SINGLE PIECE SUITS THAT ARE SPUN UPON THE BODY.

A Remarkable Tale of the Remarkable Garments of Silk That Are Worn by Some Remarkable South American Indians.

Probably no country on earth is more interesting to the traveler on the lookout for queer things and unusual experiences than the silvas of the Amazon, and here is a story about an Indian tribe of that region told by Arthur Axtell, an American traveler, that can hardly be beaten.

These particular Indians were continually bent on discovery and experimenting, says Mr. Axtell. Somehow they had come into possession of some silkworms. These worms were not known before in that country, and most of them died before the natives found out how to raise them. But they persevered and by feeding them on the tender leaves of some native plants produced a good quality of silk, not so good as the Chinese product by feeding the worms on white mulberry leaves, but nevertheless a strong, serviceable silk, certainly good enough for the dusky bodies of these savages, for this silk has not yet become an article of commerce.

Their method of obtaining the silk and transforming it into garments was crude. When the moths laid the eggs, the natives carried them in great quantities in belts about their bodies, thus giving the eggs the body heat. At the end of winter the eggs were hatched, and the result was an army of caterpillars. These were trained to crawl over the naked bodies of the natives. This was their home. They knew no other and seemed quite contented.

During eight weeks the savage is covered with these yellow crawlers. It would seem that thousands of creeping caterpillars over one's body from head to foot would tickle one to death. Certainly a white man would find it unbearable, but it must be remembered these natives of Brazil are scarcely human. To them it is intensely interesting to train these worms in the way they should go. Small bits of leaves are stuck on the bodies of the natives in regular rows, and round and round the worms go, feeding on the way. The natives help each other in the placing of the bits of leaves and in confining the worms to certain localities on the body.

These caterpillar covered niggers, as Dr. F. A. Marsh, who was of our party, called them, sleep on their backs at night and are careful not to turn over in their sleep. That would be a sad calamity. When we came to their village, there were ten Indians, men and women, in the act of raising silk caterpillars by this unique process. They were a sight to chill the blood. I know the blood stopped flowing in my veins. I stood still and shuddered. Yet there was a fascination about it, for I had been told what the object of it was, and I admired the savage ingenuity.

After the worms have become dizzy with playing the "merry go round" on the bodies of the savages they quit eating and commence spinning the outer covering for the cocoons. When this labor is done, the natural process of silkmaking is interfered with. The savages had found out that when the cocoons were finished they would burst or the worms would eat their way out. In either case the silk was destroyed. So the worms are prevented from making the cocoons. Instead the fiber for the outer covering is destroyed, and the poor caterpillars stop in perplexity. But they doubtless conclude the savages are right, and the worms are in debt to them for eight weeks of feeding, so they start soon to the spinning of the silk.

The natives are now in ecstasy. They make the worms hustle around them as they have been taught during all their little lives and spinning as they go the fine filaments of shining silk. Round and round crawl the worms, each one spinning 1,000 to 4,000 yards of silk thread around the swarthy, savage neck, around each naked arm, around the chest and abdomen and the lower limbs. The work of the worm is over.

And the result is a remarkable transformation. From a nude savage figure, loathsome and repulsive, with thousands of yellow worms crawling, twisting, writhing, squirming, to a conquering, proud native of Brazil, clothed in a perfectly fitting garment of rich silk. He has toiled not, neither has he spinned—he has only bossed the job—yet is he clothed in raiment as beautiful as the lilies of the field. What a feeling of supremacy he must have! He has interfered successfully with a divine plan. He has turned aside the course of nature and stands erect—in his own mind, at least—a man to be greatly admired.—Philadelphia Times.

Easy.

"Fame," said the youth with the earnest intellectual expression, "is so hard to attain! It is so difficult for one to get himself talked about!"

"Humph!" rejoined the woman with cold blue eyes and a firm jaw. "You just ought to live up in our neighborhood."—Washington Star.

Preparation For Confession.

A priest was engaged in instructing and catechising a Russian boy. Presently he said, "Now, my boy, tell me what you must do by way of preparing for confession and penance." "Sin, your reverence," was the unexpected answer.—London Telegraph.

The discovery of what is true and the practice of that which is good are the two most important objects of philosophy.—Junius.

Every time an argument gains you a new friend it loses you two old ones.—Chicago News.

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

During May and June Via Ohio Central Lines.

On May 21st and June 4th and 18th, agents of the Ohio Central Lines will sell Homeseekers' Excursion Tickets at greatly reduced rates to points in the West, Southwest and South. Tickets to be good for return within limit of 21 days from date of sale.

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"My father and sister both died of consumption," writes J. T. Weatherwax, of Wyandotte, Mich., "and I was saved from the same frightful fate only by Dr. King's New Discovery. An attack of pneumonia left an obstinate cough and very severe lung trouble, which an excellent doctor could not help, but a few months' use of this wonderful medicine made me as well as ever and I gained much in weight." Infallible for coughs, colds and all throat and lung trouble. Trial bottles free. Guaranteed bottles 50c and $1.00 at H. F. Vortkamp's.

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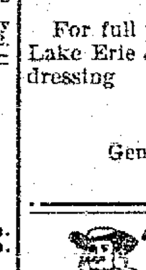
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A BIT OF DIPLOMACY.

CLEVER TRICK OF AN ENGLISH GOVERNOR OF THE PORT OF ADEN.

The Curious Story Connected With the White House of Bab-el-Mandeb. A Monument of the Undoing of a French Admiral.

On the foreshore of the Arabian coast in the strait of Bab-el-Mandeb, at the southern entrance to the Red sea, stands a large white house concerning which the travelers to the far east may hear a curious story. In the middle of the nineteenth century, when M. de Lesseps, after many difficulties, had successfully floated the Suez Canal company, the governor of the British port of Aden, about 100 miles distant, was surprised one morning by the visit of a French squadron of very unusual size for that part of the orient which, having encountered a terrific storm off Sokotra, had put in for repairs.

In the mind of the governor curiosity was at once aroused as to the destination of so large a command, a curiosity which increased as he found it impossible to extract any further information from the French admiral or his officers beyond the statement that they were upon an ordinary cruise, an explanation which the former was not the least inclined to believe.

Firm in the belief, therefore, that some political move of great importance was afloat if not afoot, the governor, in order first of all to gain time, gave orders to go very tortoiselike on the repairs and then set to work to take the Frenchmen off their guard by giving a succession of such entertainments as both his slender means and the awful barrenness of the place would afford.

But though at the end of two weeks the French and British officers had got upon the best of terms the immediate destination of the French squadron remained as much of a mystery to the governor of Aden as before, and in spite of all possible delay the repairs were nearly completed.

Now, it happened that the wife of the governor possessed an Irish maid, who had been receiving attentions from one of the French petty officers—attentions which the girl did not regard seriously. It occurred to the governor that by such means something might be learned of his unexpected visitor's plans, and a private conversation between the governor's wife and her maid resulted in another between the latter and her French admirer, by which it was discovered that Perim island was the objective point.

At this information the governor opened his eyes wide indeed, for, if the Suez canal were cut through, Perim, as commanding the southern entrance to the Red sea, in the middle of the strait of Bab-el-Mandeb, would be a place of great strategic importance, over which, without doubt, it was the intention of the French admiral to hoist the tricolor.

Secretly giving orders, therefore, for a gunboat to immediately embark a detachment of soldiers and steal away in the night for Perim island, the governor then announced a farewell banquet and ball for the day but one following, a final act of courtesy with which the French admiral would willingly have dispensed, for he was anxious to sail, but which he could not well refuse on account of the use he had made of the British supplies and machinery at Aden.

So the dinner and party in due course came off, the governor being in high spirits, because in the meantime he had received the news of the occupation of Perim, which under the circumstances would surely be followed by the longed for promotion, and the French admiral was equally happy, for he hoped on the morrow to add the same important little speck of land to the dominion of his own country, thereby covering his breast with the stars and himself with maritime glory.

Next day, after an interchange of cordial farewells, the French squadron sailed away to an apparently unknown destination, until, when clear of the land, the course was laid full speed direct for Perim island.

Then what was the dismay and disappointment of the French admiral and his officers when, on coming in sight of their destination, they beheld the British flag flying and a company of soldiers drawn up to give them a proper salute. It is said the French admiral was so mortified at being thus outwitted that he first flung his cocked hat overboard and then followed it himself into the sea.

Be this as it may, as Perim was clearly already occupied by the British, the only counter move which the French could make was to take possession of a strip of the foreshore on the opposite Arabian coast, where they built the fortified white house in question, but as the place was entirely at the mercy of the guns on Perim island it was shortly abandoned, to remain to this day as a monument of a French admiral's undoing.—Exchange.

Inopportune.

"I just saw the young Widow Weeds. She looked just charming in her mourning," said the pretty woman.

"I suppose," remarked her crotchety husband, "that you wouldn't mind being a widow yourself."

"Oh, it's hateful of you to talk that way, when you know I've got a blue silk waist that I haven't worn yet."—Philadelphia Press.

Parrots.

Some parrots are very quick in acquiring words and are generally fond of displaying these new acquisitions, but occasionally a bird will be profoundly silent until the teacher despairs of her mastering a certain phrase or word; then all at once and unexpectedly the "scholar" will repeat her lesson.

FAUST'S WILD CHARGE.

It Sent Marguerite Flying in Terror From the Stage.

The name of the hero of this anecdote I shall not give you, for he has long since been gathered to his fathers. Let it suffice that in his heyday he was one of the greatest tenors who ever sang to a breathless and enthusiastic audience. He had a penchant, however, for the red, red wine, which in the end proved his undoing and ultimately provided a pathetic ending for an otherwise great career. In his prime his drinking seemed only to affect his legs, but never his head or voice. He could always sing and sing true, but at times he had no more ability to guide his wandering footsteps than has a sufferer in the last stages of locomotor ataxia.

At one time, when he was singing Faust to Emma Abbott's Marguerite, he appeared at the opera house in an apparently hopeless condition. The management was wild, but there was no one to take his place, and so they had to chance it with him as Faust. All went well until they came to that scene where Faust, in leaving Marguerite, crosses the stage and then, giving way to an impulse, rushes back and kisses Marguerite yet once again ere taking his departure.

Faust on this occasion got to the other side of the stage all right, but trouble arose when he tried to get back. Marguerite sits in the window of her cottage, and Faust comes back and kisses her through the window. Faust measured the distance with a wabbling eye, but made a start when his cue was given. Then he seemed to lose control of himself. One-quarter way across he was trotting, one-half way the trot was a run, and the remainder of the way it had become a gallop.

Up to this point Miss Abbott stood her ground bravely, but that rapidly approaching figure awed her, and with a frightened scream she fled. Faust, poor Faust, charged on. He reached the place he had last seen Marguerite and essayed to clasp the atmosphere in outstretched arms. Then his impetus carried him through the window, and all that the astounded audience looked upon were his waving legs. Somebody pushed him back, and, absolutely undisturbed, he finished the opera, singing in an unusually superb manner. Not so with the unfortunate Marguerite, however, for from then on she was suffering from a case of "rattles," which in simple justice should have been the property of Faust.—New York Tribune.

PRETTY IRISH GIRLS.

Why the Lasses of the Emerald Isle Are Beautiful.

The Irish peasant girls have long been famous for their beautiful, clear skins and healthy complexions. They owe much of their loveliness to the moisture of the climate and the simplicity of their lives. Plain, wholesome fare and rainwater for the wash basin tell their own tale. No matter how homely are the features of the genuine peasant girl, her skin is almost invariably soft and firm, the arms nicely rounded, the eyes brilliant and expressive.

There are no eyes finer than those of the healthy daughter of Erin's isle. Soft and tender one moment, to flash with passion if aroused; dark blue, gray or brown, the Irish eye is peculiarly lovely and possesses a luster all its own. Long lashes shadow these bewitching orbs—lashes that curl upward to sweep the cheek when the face is betrayed into blushes.

So much time is spent out of doors that the feet, usually bare, become enlarged. The ankle, however, is usually well shaped and neat, the instep high and the skin of baby fineness. The Irish girl of humble station is proud of her shapely feet and believes that walking through the grass before sunrise in summer enhances their beauty, which, of course, it does.

No need to powder that fair skin—it owes its peachy bloom to health, happiness and the freedom of outdoor life; no need to resort to the rouge pot—the roses are there hard and fast, nature's own coloring. The hands may be rough by hard work, not diminutive, but shapely; the hair burnished and often luxuriant.—London Answers.

How to Lie When Sleeping.

The correct posture for sleep is to lie on the right side with the limbs stretched out to their full length and the arms either straight down by the body or in any comfortable position, provided they are not raised above the head. The mouth should be closed, and all the muscles of the body should be relaxed.

The lungs work with greater deliberation during the hours of sleep, and if the arms are raised above the head at this time and for any period the action of the heart drives the blood away from the arms and sends it to the head, frequently making one very restless when it does not prevent sleep entirely.—American Queen.

Having a Purpose In Life.

Ambition to achieve has saved many a man and woman from an early grave. From a health point of view a definite purpose in life, something which the mind is bent on accomplishing, is a factor which is too rarely considered. The will power which holds one to a set task oftentimes wards off physical weakness and weariness better than the drug or medicine which the physician prescribes. "I must accomplish this before I die," has been the expressed purpose of more than one of the world's great workers.—A. S. Atkinson in Woman's Home Companion.

The perfumers of Rome lived in a special quarter set apart for their use, and whole streets were filled with their shops, which were lounging places for wealthy young nobles.

WHAT STATES ARE DOING.

Splendid Exhibits and Buildings at the Pan-American.

The States of the Union generally show a deep interest in the Pan-American Exposition. Liberal appropriations have been made for exhibits. Several of the States have erected handsome buildings in the Court of State and Foreign Buildings.

New York's appropriation is $300,000. A magnificent permanent building has been erected, and an exhibit highly creditable to the Empire State is installed.

Illinois appropriated $75,000 for a building and exhibit.

Michigan's appropriation for a building and exhibit is $40,000.

Ohio's appropriation is $30,000. The State has erected a handsome building.

Missouri appropriated $50,000 for a building and exhibit.

Washington has appropriated $25,000 and has a building constructed of native timbers used as State Headquarters.

Wisconsin appropriated $25,000 for a building and exhibit.

The New England States joined together for the erection of a building and display of their resources and industries. Massachusetts appropriated $15,000, Rhode Island $30,000, and Connecticut, Maine, Vermont and New Hampshire have expended sums sufficient for suitable exhibits.

Georgia appropriated a sum sufficient to pay the expenses of a fine exhibit.

Idaho appropriated $15,000 for an exhibit.

Pennsylvania's appropriation for representation is $35,000.

Minnesota appropriated $20,000 for an exhibit.

New Jersey's appropriation for representation is $25,000.

North Dakota expends its appropriation of $10,000 for an exhibit.

Oregon expends $25,000 for an exhibit.

Maryland appropriated $25,000 and appointed a commission to prepare an exhibit.

Delaware made an appropriation for an exhibit.

Washington, Montana, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas and other States are suitably represented.

In addition to the exhibits made under the auspices of the different State governments, there are numerous displays of the industrial and natural resources of the States by individual exhibitors.

MUSIC AT THE EXPOSITION.

Many of the Best Bands of the United States to Be Heard at Buffalo.

The musical features at the Pan-American Exposition will embrace the several classes of music. The most prominent will be the band music, furnished by some of the best known bands of the Western World. No less than 75 organists have been engaged for daily recitals in the Temple of Music, where a magnificent organ has been installed.

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Sixty-fifth Regiment Band, Buffalo, 35 men, May 1 to July 29.

Seventy-first Regiment Band, New York city, 45 men, May 6 to June 1.

Thirteenth Band, Hamilton, Ontario, 40 men, June 3 to June 8.

Sousa's Band, New York city, 65 men, June 10 to July 6.

Elgin Band, Elgin, Ills., 60 men, July 8 to Aug. 4.

Scinta's Band, Buffalo, 36 men, July 29 to Aug. 24.

Carlisle Indian Band, Carlisle, Pa., 40 men, July 29 to Aug. 24.

Ithaca Band, Ithaca, N. Y., 35 men, Aug. 5 to Aug. 19.

Forty-eighth Highlanders' Band, Toronto, Ontario, 50 men, Aug. 26 to Aug. 31.

Robertson's Band, Albany, N. Y., 40 men, Aug. 26 to Sept. 1.

Salem Cadet Band, Salem, Mass., 45 men, Sept. 2 to Sept. 15.

Brooke's Marine Band, Chicago, 50 men, Sept. 9 to Oct. 5.

Boston Ladies' Band, Boston, Mass., 30 ladies, Sept. 16 to Sept. 28.

Nineteenth Regiment Band, St. Catharines, Ontario, 45 men, Sept. 16 to Sept. 21.

Phinney's U. S. Band, Chicago, 45 men, Aug. 5 to Aug. 25.

Victor Herbert's Orchestra, Pittsburg, 73 men, Oct. 7.

Innes' Band, New York city, Oct. 7 to Oct. 21.

Other bands with whom engagements are pending are Cincinnati, Cleveland and Detroit organizations.

Special Days.

The following special days at the Pan-American Exposition have been definitely fixed:

May 1—Opening day.
May 20—Dedication day.
June 6—Hotel Men's day.
June 12—Coal Men's day.
June 13—President's day.
June 14—Flag day. Programme by Daughters of American Revolution.
June 16—Wells College day.
June 19—A. O. U. W. day.
June 20—Connecticut day.
June 21—Rochester day.
June 24-29—Saengerfest days.
June 26—Odd Fellows' day.
June 27—Odd Fellows' day.
June 27—Volks Fest (evening).
June 28—Cincinnati day.
June 29—Philadelphia day.
July 2—Wellesley College day.
July 5—Liederkranz day.
July 10—Maryland day.
July 11—Commercial Travelers' day.
July 16—Chautauqua day.
July 18—Ohio day.
July 23—C. M. B. A. day.
July 24—Knights of Columbus day. Utah day.
July 25—Scandinavian day. Porto Rico day.
Aug. 1—Mystic Shriners' day.
Aug. 10—Missouri day.
Aug. 14—Virginia day.
Aug. 15—Red Men's day.
Aug. 21—Louisiana day.
Aug. 21—Electrical day.
Aug. 26—Municipal day.
Sept. 3—District of Columbia day.
Sept. 6—National Association of Stationary Engineers.
Sept. 9—Spanish-American War Veterans' day.
Sept. 10—Rhode Island day.
Sept. 12—Polish day.
Sept. 16—Mexican day.
Sept. 17—G. A. R. day.
Sept. 19—Welsh day.
Sept. 20—St. Catharine's day.
Sept. 25—Oregon day.
Oct. 8—Brooklyn day.
Oct. 9—New York Federation of Women's Clubs.
Oct. 10—National Grange day.

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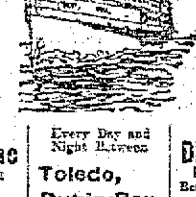
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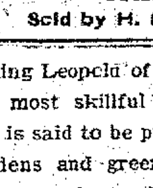
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On account of Decoration Day, agents of the Ohio Central Lines will sell excursion tickets between all points on these lines, and to all points within 150 miles on connecting lines. Excursion tickets at one and one-third fare for the round trip will be on sale May 29th and 30th, good returning until May 31. For further particulars call on agents of the Ohio Central Lines.

Miss Florence Newman, who has been a great sufferer from muscular rheumatism, says Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the only remedy that affords her relief. Miss Newman is a much respected resident of the village of Gray, N. Y., and makes this statement for the benefit of others similarly afflicted. This liniment is for sale by all druggists.

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A paper in the backwoods of Georgia reports an accident thus: "A Negro yesterday was struck by the limited express, landing on a pig iron pile fifty feet away, and fell into the river, where he was drowned."

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LIFELESS

Remains of a Traveling Man From This City Found Today

In Huntington, W. Va. Hotel.

C. K. Lawrence, of Collet Street Dies Suddenly From Asthma---Had Been in Poor Health for Some Time---Remains Will be Brought Here.

Huntington, W. Va., May 29.—At noon today C. K. Lawrence, of number 124 north Collet street, Lima, Ohio, was found dead in room number 9, at the Arlington hotel in this city.

Mr. Lawrence, who has traveled for several years for D. H. McConnell & Company, silverware dealers, of New York, arrived here from Portsmouth on Saturday evening. When he registered at the Arlington hotel, he told the clerk he was feeling badly and that he did not care to be called for his meals, that rest was what he needed. As he did not arise this morning the hotel people became alarmed and at noon today, when the door of his room was opened, his lifeless body lay near the foot of the bed. He was partially dressed. Nearby were several bottles of medicine, and an atomizer. He had probably been dead since last evening, the coroner believes that he was inhaling medicine when the end came. About fifteen dollars in money was found on his person, and also a letter from his wife, written on May 26, in which she spoke of his bad health, and hoped that he was improving. The officials are awaiting orders from Lima as to what to do with his remains.

The above information, received by the Times-Democrat early this afternoon, was a severe and an unexpected shock to the bereaved wife and other relatives of the deceased, who had received no information concerning the death of Mr. Lawrence until the sad message was imparted to Mrs. Lawrence's brother by a representative of the Times-Democrat.

The deceased had been a resident of this city for about seven years, but as his occupation as a traveling salesman engaged him away from the city most of the time he was not generally known. He was about 45 years of age and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Candace Campbell—Lawrence, of 124 north Collet street. Mrs. Lawrence is a sister of James M. Campbell, bookkeeper for Kerr, Closser & Van Cleve.

The remains of the deceased will be brought to this city for interment.

HOSTESS

Of Round Table Made it Pleasant for All

And the Club Elects Officers for Next Year.

Wedding of Dr. Hiner and Mrs. Beatty Solemnized This Morning—Other Notes of Society and the Clubs.

Yesterday was one of nature's house-cleaning days but wind and rain did not deter the brave women of the Round Table for there were seventeen on hand to enjoy the closing session for the season of 1900 and 1901. Mrs. Jacob Spyker, of west Wayne street, being their hostess. The roll call responses was "Life" and current events followed then the plans for next season were made a miscellaneous program being decided upon, with Shakespearean days runing through the calander, interspersed with days of travel. The hostess then served dainty refreshments and all adjourned until picnic time in June, when an outing will close their season.

The officers elected for the Round Table for next year are Mrs. J. M. Campbell, president; Mrs. S. S. Mumaugh, vice president; Mrs. John Phillips, secretary; Mrs. F. Lewis, treasurer; program committee, the president and Mrs. A. S. Rudy and Mrs. L. Shattic.

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The marriage of Mrs. M. N. Beatty and Dr. S. B. Hiner was celebrated this morning at ten o'clock at the W. N. Hover homestead in Shawnee township. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Figley, of Trinity M. E. church and was witnessed by only the immediate friends of the bride and groom. An elegant four course wedding breakfast was served after which Dr. and Mrs. Hiner went west on the Erie for a trip to Yellowstone Park. They will return to Lima about the 20th of June and will be at home to their friends after July first, at their home on west Spring street.

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Mrs. S. E. Dawson, of south Elizabeth street, entertained her Sunday school class last evening. Miss Nellie Gruby rendered some charming piano numbers and at nine o'clock Mrs. Dawson served light refreshments.

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Saturday evening Miss Kathryn Hover entertained a number of friends at dinner in compliment to Miss Cantwell, of Columbus. Mr. Will Whitlock, of Defiance, was a from out of town guest.

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Invitations issued yesterday, read as follows:

"Mrs. Frank E. Harman, Mrs. Harry Moore, Friday, May 21st, 1901, 510 west High street, 2 to 4. C. R. Benjamin, W. R. Wryman, C. E. Penny, W. O. Amann, R. V. Jones, F. M. McCaslin, Mesdames C. W. Benjamin, T. R. Hazzard, W. F. Charters, B. M. Donaldson, J. L. Dickensheets, L. M. Stendevant, Miss Leal Robertson."

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The Coterie circle will meet next week with Mrs. John Brown, instead of this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kincade, of east Market street, will spend Decoration Day in Detroit, with their daughter.

INCREASE

In the Appraisement of the P. Ft. W. & C.

Adds a Quarter of a Million to the Tax Value—Notes of the Rail Applied Locally.

H. G. Meyers, formerly auditor of the Ohio Southern, has taken a position with the Clover Leaf. He will have charge of the coal accounts of the road, with headquarters at Frankfort.

Oscar Heidy, a former brakeman on the Clover Leaf has returned to his home in Dayton where he has secured a position with the Pennsylvania. He spent several days in Lima.

J. B. Barnes, general superintendent of motive power of the Wabash, announces the glad news that the strike of the machinists has been compromised and the men will return to work Friday.

The Pennsylvania telegraph station east of Van Wert is to be moved to Middle Point.

Fourth Vice President L. F. Loree, of the Pennsylvania, after a consultation with officials at Fort Wayne, went east last night on No. 24.

Harry Keller, of the C. H. & D. paint shop, is living on the fat of the land in the country, but gets in his full hours every day.

Ed. Griffith, who has charge of the Pennsylvania yards in this town, has gone to Ft. Wayne and will take a run on the road. C. W. Welch, of Ft. Wayne, has been appointed to the vacancy in the yards here.—Van Wert Bulletin.

R. R.—

Railroad Valued.

The Ohio property of the Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne & Chicago railroad company has been valued for taxation as follows: Main track, $28,000 per mile; second track, $5,000 per mile; sidings, $4,000 per mile; rolling stock, $7,500 per mile; tools and machinery, $470 per mile; buildings and structures, $15,000. The reaportionment increases the value of the company's property in this country $225,000 over that of last year.

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LIMA

Warmly Greets the President.

Special Train

Made a Ten-Minute Stop in This City.

Mrs. McKinley's Condition Reported as Greatly Improved.

The President Appeared on the Rear Platform and Declined to Speak But Shook Hands With Many.

President McKinley and his party passed through this city on their special train, over the P. Ft. W. & C. railroad this morning and the President could not but feel gratified to witness the informal demonstration that the citizens of Lima accorded him. The announcement made by the Times-Democrat last evening of the fact that the distinguished party would pass through this city was the first and only authentic information the people of the city had concerning the President's brief visit to Lima but that notice was sufficient to bring forth several hundred citizens who crowded about the P. Ft. W. & C. depot and yards to greet the nation's chief executive. The enthusiasm with which the Presidential party was received was not wild, for the fact that Mrs. McKinley was in ill health was not forgotten by the throng and their demonstration was held within the bounds of calm, genuine patriotism.

ON TIME

The Special Train With Its Distinguish Party Arrived.

The special left Chicago at 3:35 o'clock this morning and arrived at Ft. Wayne at 8 o'clock this morning. Leaving the latter city at 8:24 o'clock, the train pulled into this city at 9:48 o'clock, about 2 minutes ahead of the schedule time and stopped with the engine at the water plug near the C. H. & D. crossing. There were eight vestibuled cars in the train and the rear car, from which the president made his appearance, stopped about three car lengths west of the Union street tunnel bridge. Most of the crowd was nearer the depot and instantly a rush was made for the rear car where the president appeared as soon as the train came to a standstill. The roof of every freight car in the immediate vicinity was soon crowded with men and boys and the kodak fiends were in evidence in the most advantageous places.

At the first appearance of President McKinley, the crowd cheered and several yelled for a speech but he smilingly declined to speak and descended to the lower step of the car where he shook hands with those of the anxious throng who could reach him, until ten minutes later when the special again started on its way eastward and the crowd indulged in a parting cheer.

The president appeared to be enjoying the best of health.

MRS. McKINLEY

In Better Health Than She Has Been Since the Arrival at 'Frisco.

The first familiar face that was seen after the engine passed the waiting crowd was that of Capt. Stewart M. Brice formerly of this city and son of the late senator and Mrs. Calvin S. Brice. Mr. Brice alighted from the steps of one of the cars in about the center of the train and shook hands with those of his old acquaintances whom he could get within reach of. When questioned by the Times-Democrat reporter concerning the condition of Mrs. McKinley he stated that she had greatly improved since the party left San Francisco and was now in better health than she had been at any time since the presidential party reached California on the trip to the southwest.

BILLY GLENN,

A Former Lima Man was in Charge of the Special's Engine.

The special train was in charge of conductor J. Walsh, of Ft. Wayne, and the engine, No. 267, was in the charge of engineer William Glenn, formerly of this city, who is considered one of the best engineers on the P. Ft. W. & C. road. "Billy's" familiar and pleasant countenance could not be seen as the train pulled in for the reason that C. R. Colmey, road foreman of engines, had taken possession of the right seat box and was "looking wise" from the cab window.

Division superintendent J. B. McKim and train master J. F. Patterson were also on board the special.

Policeman Gus Miller and P. Ft. W. & C., detective Lamb and Furge had their hands full keeping the small boys and many others out of the way of the wheels of the train as the anxious crowd surged here and there, each person seeming to be anxious to have the first and last glimpse of the president.

The first stop made by the special after it left this city was at Crestline, where it arrived at 12 o'clock.

"It was almost a miracle. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me of a terrible breaking out all over the body. I am very grateful." Miss Julia Filbridge, West Cornwell, Conn.

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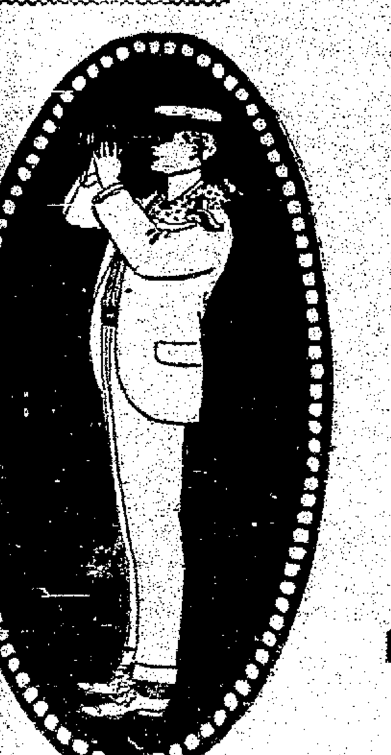
BAPTISM

By Immersion to be Conducted Tomorrow.]

The interesting services attending baptism by immersion will be conducted by Rev. Leatherman, pastor of Grace M. E. church, tomorrow afternoon. The location chosen is six miles south of Lima, on the Auglaize river and the exercises will begin at 5 o'clock. There are half a dozen or more prepared to receive the final approbation of the church of their choice and Rev. Leatherman asks that any others who are desirous of being baptised in this manner notify him at once.



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BUCYRUS

Will Try for Athletic Honors

At the Contest Which Occurs Friday.

A Team of Four of the Best Amateurs in Northwestern Ohio Will Take Part in the Events.

Manager Foltz, of the local high school athletic association, received the Bucyrus and Van Wert entries this morning for the Field Day contest to be held at the Fair Grounds May 31st.

Bucyrus sends four of the best athletes to be found in northwestern Ohio, they having won first honors at the northwestern Ohio athletic meet last Saturday. Bucyrus' crack team will consist of Harry Walthers in running broad jump, running hop, step and jump, running broad jump and 12 pound hammer throw. Ray Laughbaum will try 100 yard dash, 440 yard run, 220 yard run and running broad jump. Fred Matthew, who holds northern Ohio records for pole vault, will try pole vault and 12 pound hammer throw. Earl Henneeke will try for honors in 100 yard dash, running high jump, 440 yard run, 120 yard hurdle race, 220 yard dash and 12 pound hammer throw.

Van Wert is entered in the pole vault, hammer throw, shot put and in all runs.

Fostoria held its preliminaries last evening and proved that its entries would be mailed this morning. The Fostoria people are old hands at the business and will likely capture a prize.

Tiffin will send a delegation and try for a few events. This is their 2d year in athletics.

The Lima preliminaries will be held this afternoon at Faurot's driving park, weather permitting and, contrary to this morning's "Behind the Times," the students are working as hard as ever in their endeavor to have Lima score the most points.

Findlay's withdrawal was a verbal message and as no notice to that effect as been received by Manager Foltz, the truth of the story is somewhat lacking.

The price of admission has been reduced to 15 cents and about 225 tickets have been sold. Every one should patronize the boys as this is their first effort and as enthusiasm has been lacking they are now trying to put the Lima high school in the first class in athletics as well as in learning.

READY

To Accept Privileges at McBeth's Lake.

Manager E. F. Maxwell, who has assumed charge of McBeth's lake under its present lease by the Western Ohio Railway company, is putting things in shape for the summer season and is now prepared to grant privileges to those who want to conduct restaurants, sell refreshments or operate the novelties that will make the resort attractive to the young folks.

VERY ILL.

Engineer R. H. Gamble is Confined to His Home.

Civil Engineer R. H. Gamble, who has been conducting the work in the engineering department for the Western Ohio Electric Railway Co., is seriously ill at his home on west High street. His condition is so serious that attending physicians will not permit visitors to see him. Mr. Gamble's host of friends sincerely hope he will recover speedily.

ATTENTION, W. O. W.

There will be a special meeting of Allen Camp, No. 84, Woodmen of the World, this evening at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of taking action upon new applications and initiating four candidates. A full attendance is requested.

C. Y. Rogers, Con. Comm.

Into each life some ruins must fall,
Wise people don't sit down and bawl;
Only fools suicide or take to flight,
Smart people take Rocky Mountain Tea at night. Ask your druggist. 13

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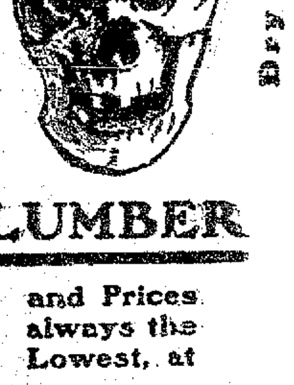

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